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Conviction for robbery & pepper-spray assault

Man stole purse from elderly woman near Little Caesar's, maced to citizens who came to her aid

Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig announced last week that on Feb. 4, a Yolo County jury found 29-year old Thomas Jones IV guilty of robbing an elderly woman in a West Sacramento parking lot and using a can of mace on three bystanders who had attempted to intervene.

According to the D.A.'s office:

In the afternoon of October 27, the elderly, disabled victim went to the Little Ceasars Pizza near the corner of West Capitol Avenue and Jefferson Boulevard. Jones rode his bicycle up to the victim from behind and took her purse. The commotion and the victim's screams for help brought three employees out of a nearby business. they chased Jones as he tried to escape with the purse.

The employees chased Jones across West Capitol Avenue and cornered him in a loading dock. When the employees attempted to detain Jones, he used a large can of pepper spray on them. Jones escaped again, but was found minutes later in an empty parking lot with the victim's purse.

The jury convicted Jones after a day of deliberation.

"Thomas Jones chose his victim because she was vulnerable," commented Deputy District Attorney Ryan Couzens, in a press release. In the same release, District Attorney Jeff Reisig praised the efforts of the good Samaritans: "The courage these three men showed was extraordinary. They went above and beyond."

Jones is scheduled to be sentenced on March 15 by Judge Janet Gaard of the Yolo County Superior Court.

Contractor tunes up WUSD HVAC units

RIGHT: technician Ghaohli Vang removes an HVAC control panel at a West Sacramento school site. Under a PG&E-sponsored program, a tune-up of such units is expected to save Washington Unified School District around $43,000 per year, according to the contractor.

(Photo courtesy of Cooper Oates Air Conditioning)

West Sacramento's school district took part in a PG&E-sponsored program to inspect and, when needed, adjust 608 HVAC units at 11 different sites. The adjustments didn't cost the district any up-front money, and will save it around $43,000 per year in energy costs, said contractor Cooper Oates Air Conditioning, which approached WUSD about the program.

"We were able to substantially increase the efficiency of our equipment at no cost to the district, while re-directing our existing facilities team towards other critical maintenance areas needing their skills and attention," said WUSD Assistant Superintendent of Business Services Scott Lantsberger, in a press release from Cooper Oates.

Technicians inspected the units to diagnose them. About two-thirds needed their thermostat settings changed to "guarantee the HVAC unit is only running when necessary." Most needed other work as well.

Toting a rifle, wearing camouflage:

Man convicted of tending marijuana farm on public land in Yolo County

Last month, a Yolo County jury found 57-year-old Fidel Alvarez guilty of "cultivation of marijuana" and "possession for sale of marijuana." The jury also convicted Alvarez of being armed during the commission of these crimes.

According to the office of Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig:

Last September, agents from the Yolo County Narcotics Enforcement Team and the Mountain and Valley Marijuana Investigations Team discovered a marijuana grow one third of a mile off Highway 16 in Yolo County on public lands. The marijuana grow contained over 500 plants that were only a few days away from harvest. Agents discovered Alvarez walking through the field of plants dressed in camouflage clothing and carrying a .22 caliber rifle with a homemade flash suppressor.

Alvarez admitted to agents that he had been hired by drug dealers in Richmond to come and tend to the marijuana plots. He stated that he was going to receive a percentage of the profits from the sale of the marijuana. Experts testified that the plants would produce somewhere between 250 and 500 pounds of marijuana which would have a street value of $250,000 to $500,000, said the D.A.'s office.

"These marijuana grows on public lands are dangerous and the cause of numerous acts of violence across the state," said prosecutor Michael Vroma, in a press release. District Attorney Reisig commented on the environmental impact. "The toll these marijuana grows have on the surrounding environment due to chemicals and fertilizers is immeasurable," said Reisig in the same release.

Alvarez will be sentenced on February 25 by Judge Timothy L. Fal. Alvarez faces up to four years in prison.

Castillo hopes be 'parent advocate,' help find partners for school district

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

"I'm a parent advocate," sums up 32-year old Francisco Castillo of Southport, who is one of five people running for a vacant seat on West Sacramento's school board.

FRANCISCO CASTILLO
(News-Ledger photo)

Castillo said that what originally drew him into the school board race was his family's need to camp at night outside their local campus, Bridgeway Island Elementary School, in order to secure a spot in that school's kindergarten program for one of their two young children.

"We got there at 2 a.m.," he recalls. "I said, 'Wow, something needs to be done about this.' Not that I had a solution. . . but that sparked an interest in my getting more involved with my son's education."

Because both Castillo and his wife were working parents, they needed to ensure their older child got a place in the morning session at that campus, and there weren't enough slots to meet the need. Thus the all-nighter.

Castillo came to San Francisco from Nicaragua when he was five, and was raised by a single mother from about the age of eight. She was not comfortable getting involved in her son's American schooling.

"She avoided attending parent conferences, not because she didn't want to go, but she didn't have the information and access," he told the News-Ledger. "She spoke Spanish."

Now, he considers parental involvement to be one of the "pillars" of his education platform.

"What are the resources we can give parents to tell them 'your child's education is important, your involvement is urgent?" he asked rhetorically. "There are even businesses in West Sacramento and outside West Sacramento that can provide some of the resources that help support parental engagement."

Those "engagement" tools could include the use of technology, he said.

"There are different ways to get parents involved and we need to think outside the box."

Castillo also wants to expand Washington Unified School District's preschool programs.

"There's a lot of research that says that. . . in the long run, it will help them academically," Castillo commented.

His third "pillar" is college preparation and career education.

"The numbers are pretty evident," he reported. "Only eight students of our high school seniors last year are considered college-ready . . (The others) need to take remedial classes because they're not college-ready."

Castillo said he was referring to California State University tests provided to college-bound kids at River City High.

He sees a lot of potential value from creating new and better partnerships between the school district and the City of West Sacramento, along with making deals with business partners in the region and beyond.

"How do we partner with Silicon Valley and bring some of those resources to West Sacramento?" asked Castillo. "I don't think we're thinking on that level. We think of West Sacramento as just the city of West Sac. We need to go outside the city. We don't need to reinvent the wheel, there are programs already out there."

Castillo's "day job" is actually in the field of education advocacy. He works as deputy national press secretary for StudentsFirst, a nonprofit that "helps pass policies that put the interests of students first. . . in working with state legislators."

The organization tries to "elevate the teaching profession," "empower parents through information and choice," and create "fiscal transparency and responsibility," he said.

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Getting a handle on this thing we call love

With another Valentine's Day just around the corner, here are a few quotes by some brave men and women who claimed to have meaningful insights into the mystery of love:

"Love doesn't make the world go around, but love is what makes the ride worthwhile." (Elizabeth Browning)

"Among those whom I like, I can find no common denominator, but among those whom I love, I can; all of them make me laugh." (W.H. Auden)

"Love can withstand very severe storms of vigor, but not the long polar frost of indifference." (Sir Walter Scott)

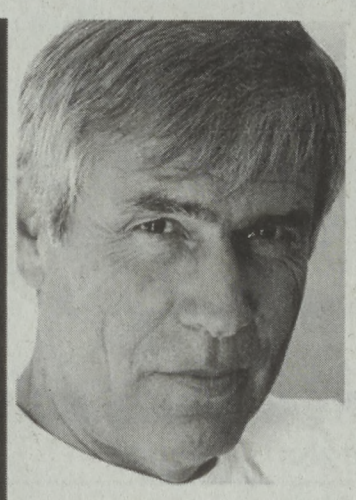
"Time is too slow for those who wait, too swift for those who fear, too long for those who grieve, too short for those who rejoice, but for those who love, time is eternity." (Henry Van Dyke)

"So long as we love, we serve. So long as we are loved by others, we are indispensable." (Robert Lewis Stevenson)

"Love is life. And if you miss love, you miss life." (Leo Buscaglia)

"The supreme happiness of life is the conviction of being loved for yourself, or more correctly, being loved in spite of yourself." (Victor Hugo)

"There is nothing more dangerous than a lover without discretion; even a prudent enemy is preferable." (Jean De La Fontaine)



My Back Pages

By Daryl Fisher

"Convey thy love as an arrow to the mark, to stick there; not as a ball against the wall to rebound back to thee." (Francis Quarles)

"Do not save your most loving speeches for those who are dead; speak them rather now instead." (Anna Cummings)

"You don't marry someone you can live with – you marry someone you cannot live without." (Unknown)

"Life has taught us that love does not consist of gazing at each other but in looking outward in the same direction." (Saint-Exupery)

"The richest love is that which submits to the arbitration of time." (Lawrence Durrell)

"To love and win is the best thing. To love and lose is the next best." (William Thackeray)

"Love is like playing the piano. First you must learn to play by the rules, then you must forget the rules and play from your heart." (Margaret Atwood)

"We are not perfect. The stars and the snowflakes are perfect. We are human. We are here to ruin ourselves, to break our hearts, to love the wrong people." (Nicholas Cage to Cher in the movie Moonstruck)

"Of all forms of caution, caution in love is the most fatal." (Unknown)

Asked by a gentleman friend why she seemed not to have a good sense of humor, Mrs. Patrick Campbell replied, "God did it on purpose, so that I may love you men instead of laughing at you." (Woodrow Wyatt)

"Love is not the dying moan of a distant violin, but rather the triumphant twang of a bedspring." (S.J. Perelman)

"I love you because you have done more than any creed could have done to make me good, and more than any fate could have done to make me happy." (Anonymous)

"Love is like a good cigar. If it goes out, you can light it again, but it never tastes quite the same." (Field Marshall Wavell)

"I think of the days before I met her, when I seemed to have no troubles at all!" (Fujiwara Atstada)

"Husbands rarely understand their wives, but wives usually understand their husbands all too well." (John Train)

"We don't believe in rheumatism and true love until after the first attack." (M.E. Eschenbach)

"If I ever really love, it will be like Mary Queen of Scots, who said of her Bothwell that she would follow him around the world in her nightie." (J.M. Barrie)

"Those who love and are separated can live in suffering, but it is not despair; they at least know that love exists." (Albert Camus)

"We may not recall all of the loving words, but we will never forget the melody." (Anonymous)

"I love you not only for who you are, but for what I am when I am with you." (Roy Croft)

And finally, a wonderful poem entitled "Some We Love" by Khalil Gibram (who died in 1931):

Some we love
But stay away from, for in distance they are more beautiful
In distance they are more elegant
And in distance, they are more precious

And some we love
And strive to be with
It hurts to be away from them
And we cannot imagine life without them

And some we love
And wish to live a fairy tale with
Create opportunities to run into
Make up reasons to see
And live fantasy more than reality with

And some we love
But only secretly
So we stay silent, though silence hurts
And we dare not speak about our love for the obstacles are many
And the obstacles are scary and it is for the best for us and them

'Love is like a good cigar. If it goes out, you can light it again, but it never tastes quite the same.'
Field Marshal Wavell

'I think of the days before I met her, when I seemed to have no troubles at all!'
Fujiwara Atstada

That the doors between us remain closed

And some we love
And scream out to the world about them
Talk about them all the time
Need their presence like we need water and air
And choke in their absence

And some we love
For we can't find anyone else
And our need for love pushes us towards them
So days go by
And life goes on
And time does not stop
And it terrifies us to stay alone

And some we love
Because they don't deserve anything but love
And before them we have nothing but love
So we learn what is beautiful from them
And we re-build all that has been broken with them
And we re-paint our lives with them
And truly strive to give them happiness

And some we love
But we do not see a response to it in their heart
So we collapse and break
And stumble around in failed tales
But we don't hate them
And we don't forget them
And we don't love anyone but them
And we cry over them after every failed attempt

And some we love
And it remains only for them to love us
Like we love them

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ACROSS THE BRIDGE:

Events around the region

Autorama

The 63rd Annual Sacramento Autorama will be held on February 15-17 at Cal Expo, 11600 Exposition Boulevard in Sacramento. The 2013 show will feature the finest custom cars, hot rods, classic motorcycles and specialty vehicles from around the country, with over 500 show vehicles competing for awards. Admission is $16 per day for adults, and $6 per day for children ages 6-12.

Camellia show

The Camellia Society of Sacramento's 89th Annual Show will be held on March 2-3 at the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium at 1515 J Street. Admission is free and anyone wishing to enter their blooms may do so on March 2nd from 7:30 to 10 am. For more information about the show call 967-8420. For floral arrangements call 995-2550.

Education forum

Peregrine School, the UC Davis Child Study Center, and the Davis Art Center are co-sponsoring a forum on Reggio Emilia-inspired education on Friday, March 1st from 7-9 pm at the Davis Art Center, 2919 F Street in Davis. The Reggio Emilia region in Northern Italy is famous for their preschools and the forum will explore why that is, discussing how teaching, learning, and creativity can all go hand-in-hand. RSVP appreciated but not

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Opinion

NEWS-LEDGER EDITORIAL:

$50 could help buy a child some hopes for college

What can we all do to help West Sacramento's schools?

Well, one of the top strategic goals now being put forward by the local school board is to "foster a culture of high expectations." And that is something that the City of West Sacramento, and the rest of us, can all help with.

For inspiration, consider this:

About 500 students graduate every year from the high school in Kalamazoo, Michigan. And each of them does so knowing that unknown donors have pledged to pay their full college tuition in the state's public college and university system. The "Kalamazoo Promise" was announced in 2005, and it was intended not only to help local kids, but also to help the local economy.

Students who enter the local school district part-way through their education get partial assistance, and those who are in it for the entire ride get the full "Promise." Knowing that their kids must stay in local public schools to qualify, families have an incentive to stay put in Kalamazoo. The city is meant to benefit from its ability to attract and retain families.

Announcement of the new program was greeted with celebration and also a degree of skepticism – how could somebody really be willing to pay for every local kid's college education? But reality has set in, and the kids and their families are now starting to develop college expectations from a student's early grades.

Local teachers and schools bought into the ambitious program, adding instructional hours and increasing college prep.

Too ambitious and expensive for your tastes? There are plenty of other college fund programs to look at.

Among them are those created by the City and County of San Francisco as well as the County of Cuyahoga, Ohio. These locales are going about the same thing, but on a much smaller scale.

Cuyahoga expects to spend $2 million a year putting $100 into a college fund for every new kindergartner. The funds can be redeemed by graduates towards college or vocational training.

The City and County of San Francisco are chipping in with the first $50 contribution to a college fund for every one of its new kindergartners. (For information, see http://www.k2csf.org/)

These smaller funds, even with compounding interest, may never pay for a big chunk of a student's college education. But the accounts can be supplemented over the years with other donations from friends, family and a student's own savings. And they're not just about the money; they're about the idea of going to college.

Just the existence of a college fund in a student's name, even if it's a modest one, can help shape the expectations of a family and its kids. A family that may not have expected to send its child to college might begin to raise its sights.

West Sacramento is a city of challenging demographics, like Kalamazoo and San Francisco. Not every kid now going to school here believes that college or other higher education are realistic options. Funding a college account for each young child would be one way to chip away at that kind of defeatism.

A college fund program in West Sacramento need not rely on the cash-strapped Washington Unified School District for dollars. The program could be a partnership, using funds cobbled together from the city and from private donors to help. After all, encouraging kids to stay in local schools and then go to state colleges and universities (like the local Sac City College branch) would be good for West Sacramento's economy.

It's one way the whole city can help the local school district "foster a culture of higher expectations."

Letters to the Editor

Vote for Sarah

As a former WUSD Board of Education trustee and a recently retired teacher, I am always interested in education. After reading about the candidates for the current school board election, I want to express my support for Sarah Kirby-Gonzalez.

Sarah's experience as an outstanding teacher and her extensive involvement in professional development make her uniquely qualified to strengthen the WUSD school board. Not only does she understand the challenges educators and students currently face, but she has clearly worked to raise the standards for both her students and her teaching peers.

Sarah's accomplishments and endorsements are proof of her skills as a leader and team member. Her campaign has focused on her strengths rather than on vague generalizations about the quality of WSUD schools. In spite of budget challenges, WUSD has been making steady progress. Adding Sarah to the school board would strengthen the leadership in West Sacramento's schools.

I served as a WUSD trustee from 1994-1997 to bring a teacher's perspective and a cooperative spirit to the board's leadership. It is time to put a teacher back on the school board. Vote for Sarah Kirby-Gonzalez.

NANCY CANDEE
West Sacramento

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required to carrie@peregrineschool.org.

Japanese food festival

The Annual Spring Japanese Food Festival will be held on March 10th between 11 am and 1 pm at the Sacramento Buddhist Church, 2401 Riverside Boulevard in Sacramento. Some of the food that will be featured includes chicken teriyaki, maki sushi, California rolls sushi, beef teriyaki sandwiches, and numerous different kinds of pastries. Proceeds go to support the church's affiliated organizations such as the Girl and Boy Scouts. For more information call 446-1866.

Black History Month

On February 18th, the Crocker Art Museum invites families to celebrate Black History Month with a spectacular showcase of the art, culture, history and traditions of the African Diaspora. The festival brings together African and American history through music, dance, storytelling, hands-on art activities, and an arts and crafts marketplace. This free family festival will take place from 11 am to 3 pm at the Crocker Art Museum, 216 O Street in Sacramento. For more information visit crockerartmuseum.org or call 808-7000.

Green gardening

Gain a wealth of information and skills about green gardening through presentations and hands-on exercises that can help you save money, conserve water and sustain your healthy landscape by attending a one night a week (for ten weeks) workshop let by master gardeners. For location, registration and more information, visit www.roseville.ca.us/explore or call 746-1500.

Widowed persons

The Widowed Persons Association of California meet every Sunday from 3-5 pm in the meeting room of the WPAC office, 2628 El Camino Avenue, Suite D-18 in Sacramento. The support group is designed to help those recently widowed, but any and all widows and widowers are welcome to attend. There is no charge and for more information call 972-9722.

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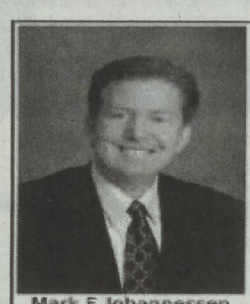
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Does providing parents with "choice" mean advocating charter schools?

Speaking for himself, Castillo replied that "I support providing parents with excellent educational options, whether that's public charter school or traditional public school. A lot of parents in West Sacramento (currently) send their kids over to Clarksburg, to the charter school there."

He believes that charter schools are an option – but they need to be held accountable, and even shut down if they don't perform.

How about providing school vouchers, so parents can easier send their children to private schools?

"I'm still kind of thinking about that one," Castillo answered. "There's a lot of research that shows that low-income families benefit from vouchers."

The candidate said he perceived Washington Unified's school board – before the November election – to have been somewhat "polarized," but he believes that with new members on board, it has made a lot of progress in the past few months.

He likes the can-do spirit of the City of West Sacramento, and hopes the school district can repair some relationships with the city and enjoy the fruits of a better partnership. As a former staff member of San Francisco Mayor Gavin Newsom, he saw some of that happen in the City by the Bay.

"When I was working for him, he appointed the first-ever liaison to the school board. . . It made sense, because the city was providing resources to the school district, and the district was able to work with the city to get a lot of things done. We all know there's been some tension (in West Sacramento) between the city and the school board."

Castillo and his family have been in West Sacramento for about five years, he reports. In addition to working for Mayor Newsom, his resume includes service on San Francisco's youth commission, and working at a teen center and for several nonprofits. He attended San Francisco public schools, earning a political science degree from San Francisco State.

What does he see as the job duties of a school board member in WUSD?

"A school board member is someone who can help craft a strategic vision for the district," said Castillo. "A school board member can't do anything alone," but requires the ability to be part of a team, he added.

"The school board gives the superintendent a clear vision and clear direction about where we need to go. . . it's not about micromanaging."

He was asked whether the district's schools could be called "excellent," "good," "fair" or "poor."

"I think the district is 'good,'" he responded. "We can strive for excellence. We can get to that same path the city is taking as far as being an excellent city."

How is the district doing in student test scores, and how much does that matter?

"Bridgeway Island is excellent – their API is around 780, it's doing great," he answered. "It's not the only thing that measures (performance). "I think (the district) is doing fairly well, and improving every year. The north part of the West Sacramento is where the schools are struggling a little more."

Castillo said there's a perception – with some validity – that there is a difference between how the "north" and "south" are handled in WUSD.

"It seems like we don't pay much attention to the north area of West Sacramento," he said. "Because (Southport) is a newer area, it tends to get more of the resources."

It's important to put the resources where they're needed, wherever that may be, he added.

"I think there's a sense of the 'South of West Sacramento' and the 'North of West Sacramento.' How about 'all of West Sacramento'?"

Castillo believes the district is in pretty good financial shape.

"I have to give 'props' to the superintendent, his staff and even the board," he commented about their money-handling. And the passage of state Proposition 30 will bring a "surge of money" to the district following several years of cost-cutting.

Where should the money go?

"One idea would be having it go to the classroom. . . but it's the kind of vision we have to decide as a school board, with the input of the superintendent," he answered. There might be "holes to fill," he said, like restoring school bus routes cut during the economic hard times.

Castillo reports that he has been endorsed by West Sacramento Mayor Christopher Cabaldon, by Mayor pro tem Oscar Villegas, school board president Mary Leland and vice president Katie Villegas, by county supervisors Mike McGowan and Matt Rexroad, and by Laborers Local 185, among others.

He invites interested people to contact him – and provide suggestions – by phoning (916) 668-9659, emailing castilloforwestsac@gmail.com, or visiting www.castilloforkids.com.

"I don't have all the answers," Castillo commented. "Some of the best solutions come from the community."

Editor's note: This interview is the fourth in a series. Each of the five people running for a seat on the Washington Unified School District has been invited to talk to the News-Ledger about the issues. The final interview will appear next week.

The ballot will be an all-mail ballot, with votes due by March 5. Ballots may be dropped off at a location on the first floor of city hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue.

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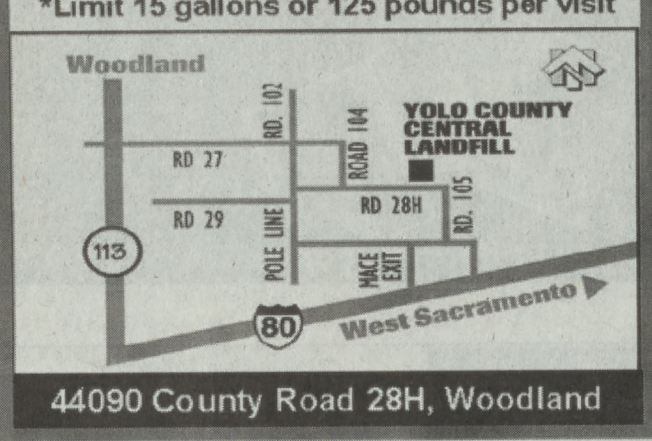

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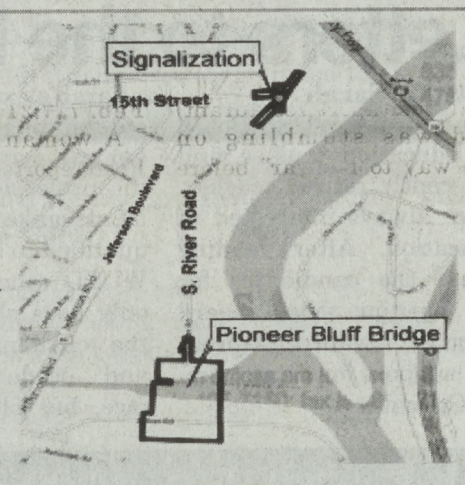
Pioneer Bluff Bridge Project

Notice of Availability of Initial Study
Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration

CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO

WHAT IS BEING PLANNED?

The City of West Sacramento proposes to build a bridge that will connect the existing two-lane South River Road from the South River Road cul-de-sac on the north side of the Barge Canal to South River Road on the south side of the Barge Canal. The bridge will include one 12-foot lane in each direction and one future un-striped 12-foot lane in each direction, a 2-foot raised median, shoulders, and two 6-foot walkways separated from traffic by a concrete barrier. The project will signalize the intersection of 15th Street and South River Road. The purpose of the Pioneer Bluff Bridge Project is to construct a bridge that connects South River Road across the Barge Canal.



WHY THIS PUBLIC NOTICE?

The City of West Sacramento has studied the effects this project may have on the environment. The studies show it will not significantly affect the quality of the environment. The report that explains the findings of the studies is the Initial Study with proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration for this project. This notice is to advise you that the preparation of this report has been completed and is available for you to review.

WHAT'S AVAILABLE?

An Initial Study with proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared and is available for public review beginning January 11, 2013, through February 11, 2013. During the public review period, a copy of the draft Mitigated Negative Declaration will be available at the City of West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691; and the Arthur F. Turner Community Library, located at 1212 Merkley Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691. An electronic copy of the Initial Study may be viewed online at the following website: http://www.cityofwestsacramento.org

WHERE DO YOU COME IN?

Do you have any comments about the Initial Study and processing the project with a Mitigated Negative Declaration? Do you disagree with the findings of the study as set forth in the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration? If you would like a public hearing or wish to make comments, please submit your request or comments no later than February 11, 2013 to the contact information below.

CONTACT

For more information, to review or receive a copy of the Initial Study, or to submit comments, please contact Jay Davidson at the City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 2nd Floor, West Sacramento, CA 95691, by phone at 916-617-4645, or by email to jayd@cityofwestsacramento.org.

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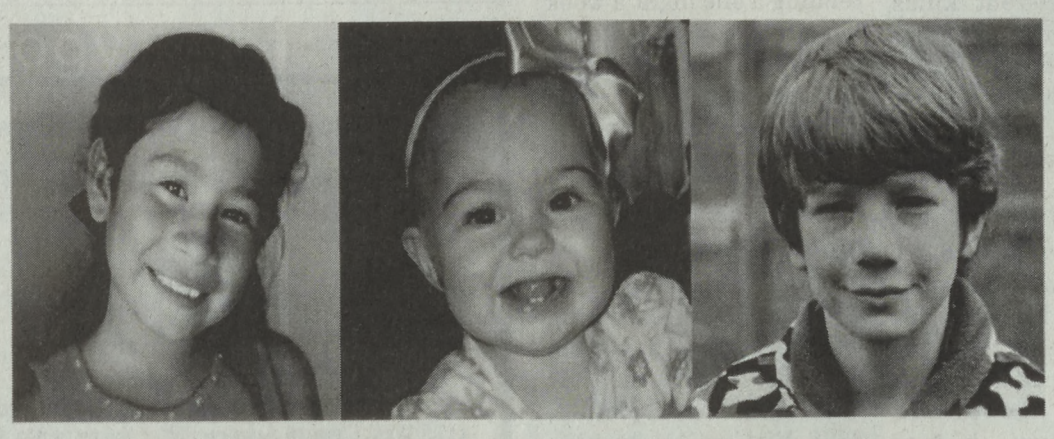

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Police Log

News items below are collected from police dispatchers' notes and arrest reports. The information in them has often not been verified beyond the initial reports.

Feb. 5, 7:49 a.m.

A witness reported that someone had thrown paint onto at least four vehicles on Pennsylvania Avenue. The caller was concerned that the cars' owners were washing paint into the storm drains, and suggested that firefighters check the drains for hazardous materials.

Feb. 5, 8:39 a.m.

A group home reported that a 15-year old was AWOL (absent without leave), and requested that he be returned to River City High School if found by police.

Feb. 5, 11:17 a.m.

A driver in a black Jaguar "did a donut" in a supermarket parking lot on West Capitol Avenue. But the donut didn't go well, and the Jag slammed into a parked car before taking off eastward.

Feb. 5, 12:10 p.m.

A Southport man asked a dispatcher for information about paintball guns and air-soft guns: "Where is it okay for his kids to play with them?"

Feb. 5, 12:54 p.m.

An elderly woman was hit by a car at a supermarket parking lot on the 1600-block of West Capitol.

Feb. 5, 7:21 p.m.

The CHP transferred a 911 cell phone call to West Sacramento police: an "elderly female was drinking heavily at (a Southport restaurant) and was stumbling on the way to her car" before driving away northbound on Jefferson.

Feb. 5, 8:01 p.m.

A witness reported second hand that a severely injured pit bull, with its legs tied up, was found behind a business on the 900-block of West Capitol.

Feb. 5, 8:01 p.m.

A restaurant on the 2900-block of West Capitol reported that "a man walked in and took the tip jar, then ran out."

Feb. 6, 4:40 a.m.

A witness said two men in their 20s had just stolen a large speaker box from a car parked at an apartment complex on the 2100-block of West Capitol. They loaded it onto a bike, and were going away on Sycamore.

Feb. 6, 9:04 a.m.

A citizen reported "third-hand" that a Harbor Boulevard bank would be picketed, beginning today, by picketers "known to be aggressive."

Feb. 6, 5:45 p.m.

A resident returned to a Catalina Road house to find that someone had removed and torn some screens off some animal cages on the property. "Cages for rabbits and chickens were opened and now some animals (are) missing."

Feb. 6, 6:52 p.m.

From a retail center on the 3000-block of West Capitol: Two men were "shooting what looks like a bow and arrow into the parking lot."

Feb. 6, 9:47 a.m.

Someone broke the lock and gate at a Sellers Way temple.

Feb. 6, 5:45 p.m.

A 31-year old homeless man was detained for shoplifting at an Ikea Court store. He admitted to coming to the store to steal some boots for himself. An officer reported that the man admitted he "had a female accomplice distract the clerk while he walked to the men's section and took one pair from the shelf, placed them under his jacket and walked out the store."

The man had been involved in several other local theft incidents and had one pending case of burglary from a nearby retail store. He was arrested.

Feb. 7, 7:21 a.m.

A woman on Headslane Road reported a "third break-in" to her parked car. She asked for an officer to contact her.

Feb. 7, 9:40 a.m.

A man told local dispatchers that his $650 mountain bike was stolen on Feb. 2 from Boise, Idaho. Now, it could be seen on the website of a West Sacramento pawn shop's web site. The owner said he had the bike's serial number and documentation of how it had been customized.

Feb. 7, 9:53 a.m.

Someone cut the fence of a Coke Street business and stole a number of truck batteries. One report placed the number of batteries at 12; another said it had been 48 batteries, worth about $7,000.

Feb. 7, 10:02 a.m.

A Stillwater Road business requested extra traffic patrols. A nearby trade school was back in session and "students are drivingly recklessly."

Feb. 7, 11 a.m.

A police officer saw a known "parolee at large" walking in front of a supermarket on the 1200-block of West Capitol. After being detained, the wanted man was asked if he had anything illegal in his possession. The officer reported that the man admitted having "a throwing knife in his pocket and a bottle of pills he found on the ground."

The officer located a six-inch, fixed-blade knife in the man's pants pocket, which the man said he carried "because he lived on the river." The pill bottle had 78 green and white pills inside. The man claimed he found the bottle on West Capitol. He was arrested.

Feb. 8, 6:46 a.m.

An employee arrived at a business on the 1500-block of South River Road to find "two subjects taking items from the yard, and (they) had broken into one of the buildings." The employee chased them off the property.

Feb. 8, 7:35 a.m.

A man in a green Dodge Durango was reportedly going through recycling bins on Highland Drive.

Feb. 8, 8:26 a.m.

A man doing electrical work behind a large retail store on the 2200-block of Lake Washington Boulevard called 911, he reported that a guy ran out the security gate "with merchandise, and almost ran into him." The suspect fled northbound on Jefferson in a white Ford Explorer, "blowing through red lights."

Feb. 8, 12:43 p.m.

Vehicle injury at the Southport Town Center. Hyundai Tiburon versus Toyota Camry. No injuries.

Feb. 8, 3:16 p.m.

A woman reported she was trying to pull out of the parking lot of a Riverpoint Court store, but some picketers in the lot were "uncooperative." She couldn't tell if it was clear for her to pull out without hitting them.

Feb. 8, 3:38 p.m.

A landlord reported that some tenants had damaged a Lisbon Avenue house before moving out.

Feb. 8, 3:46 p.m.

A citizen reported that an "old" man with a long white beard was panhandling at a Park & Jefferson location. The man had been warned off by police earlier, and "needs to be cited this time."

Feb. 8, 5:12 p.m.

A domestic violence incident was reported in the central West Sacramento "state street" area.

Feb. 8, 5:24 p.m.

A man reported elder abuse, after receiving "hurtful text messages from his niece."

Feb. 8, 5:45 p.m.

An Inglewood Drive man said he had been washing his car "and a vehicle with juveniles in it drove by and threw trash at him."

Feb. 8, 8:53 p.m.

Police from Lincoln asked West Sacramento police to "be on the lookout." A former West Sacramento woman said the couple had recently lost their home on Santa Cruz Road. She learned that her husband had bought a gun without telling her. Now, the man was missing – which was "out of character" for him -- and it was possible he would return to the Southport house.

Feb. 8, 8:55 p.m.

Two men were reported to be stealing pallets from a West Sacramento business. They had a silver Toyota Tacoma.

Feb. 8, 9:33 p.m.

From inside a Town Center Plaza retail store: "(A) man known for stealing items currently has a Dyson vacuum and is heading toward the fire exit at the back."

Feb. 8, 12 p.m.

A West Capitol cigarette store turned in some fake money received during the prior two weeks. The bills included a bogus $5, two $20s and three $10s.

Feb. 9, 1:25 a.m.

A woman made the first of several calls reporting that an ex-boyfriend was outside loitering and knocking on her door. The man had been "stalking her," she said, and she was "in the process of getting a restraining order."

Feb. 9, 9:05 a.m.

A parent told a 911 calltaker that he or she had gone to a Southport house "to pick up a daughter, and the ex refused to let the juvenile go." The caller had the proper custody paperwork.

Feb. 9, 10:45 a.m.

A storage unit manager reported that a customer might be keeping stolen property in a unit at that location.

Feb. 9, 12:23 p.m.

A woman said she had parked her Saturn near a Harbor Blvd. store and saw a known female subject near it. Later, she found the car's

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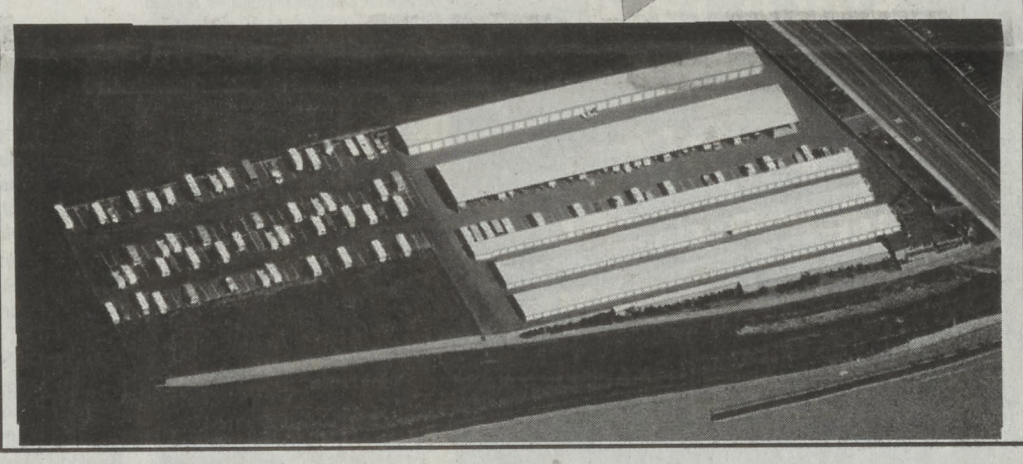

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Center for Spiritual Awareness 1275 Starboard Dr. 374-9177 (For prayer line, listen for prompt) Sun. Service: 10:15 Youth Programs & Jr. Church Rev. Georgia Prescott www.csasacramento.org for weekly affirmations. All are welcome!	**Good Shepherd Parish** *A welcoming, independent Catholic Community* (916) 747-0284, 920 Drever St. www.GoodShepardCommunity.org Sunday Mass 4:30 p.m.; Reconciliation Service Dec. 18 at 4:30 p.m.; Christmas Morning Mass 10 a.m. Pastor Tony Prandini, OSFC	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** Tom Kopko, Pastor 519-5329 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac. PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691 Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. 372-6570
TTrinity Presbyterian Church 1500 Park Blvd. W. Sac. CA 916.371.5875 www.TrinityWestSac.org info@TrinityWestSac.org Pastor: Rev. Eric Keller Assoc. Pastor, Latino Outreach: Rev. Tina Torres Sunday Worship Services: 9 a.m. Contemporary 11 a.m. Blended/Traditional 11 a.m. Spanish Language	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St. (corner of Anna & Todhunter) Pastor Giancarlo Mittempergher CSS Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English) Sunday 9 a.m. (English) Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish) Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri. 8:30 a.m. Thurs. 6:45 p.m. (Spanish) Call 371-1211	**First Southern Baptist Church** Sun. School 9:30 a.m. Sun. Worship 11am Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111
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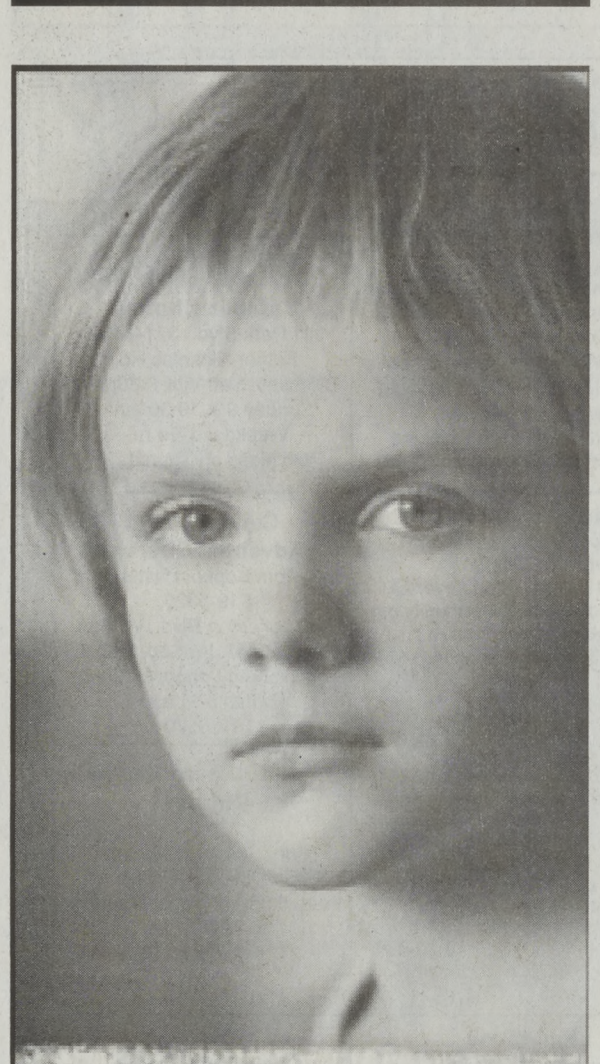
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The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2884 NICHOLS COURT , WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the Note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said Note(s), advances if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligations secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee`s Sale is estimated to be $251,108.65 (Estimated), provided, however, prepayment premiums, accrued interest and advances will increase this figure prior to sale. Beneficiary`s bid at said sale may include all or part of said amount. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier`s check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the California Financial Code and authorized to do business in California, or other such funds as may be acceptable to the trustee. In the event tender other than cash is accepted, the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee`s Deed Upon Sale until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. The property offered for sale excludes all funds held on account by the property receiver, if applicable. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder`s sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Notice to Potential Bidders If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a Trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a Trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same Lender may hold more than one mortgage or Deed of Trust on the property. Notice to Property Owner The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the Mortgagee, Beneficiary, Trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about Trustee Sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call Auction.com at 800.280.2832 for information regarding the Trustee's Sale or visit the Internet Web site address on the previous page for information regarding the sale of this property, using the file number assigned to this case, CA05001793-11-2. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. DATE: 1/23/2013 TRUSTEE CORPS TS No. CA05001793-11-2 17100 Gillette Ave, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-8300 Tina Godoy, Authorized Signatory SALE INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED ON LINE AT www.Auction.com AUTOMATED SALES INFORMATION PLEASE CALL AUCTION.COM AT 800.280.2832 TRUSTEE CORPS MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. P1017033 1/30, 2/6, 02/13/2013

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2013-33
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Action Arms, 274 West Main St., Woodland, CA 95695; County of Yolo.
Michael Bailey, 308 W. Southwood Drive, Woodland, CA 95695.
This business is conducted by individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Michael Bailey
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on January 11, 2013.
NOTICE-In accordance with Section 17920(a), a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires five years from the date it was filed with the County Clerk, except as provided in Section 17920(b), where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
1/30, 2/6, 2/13, 2/20/13
CNS-2436519#
NEWS-LEDGER

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 14, 2013
File No. 2013-045
The following person is doing business as Jackpot Trading Post, 1024 Meadow Rd., West Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.
Everett V. Smith, same address.
This business is conducted by an I ndividual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/14/13.
/s/Everett Smith
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 14, 2013
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk
Jan 30 Feb 6 13 20

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 23, 2013
File No. 2013-077
The following person is doing business as PSA Apparel, 724 Yolo St., West Sacramento CA 95605, Yolo County.
Michael Nelson, 724 Yolo St., West Sacramento CA 95605; Russell Nelson, 837 Pecan Ct., West Sacramento CA 95691; Brandon Myers, 612 Todhunter Ave., W. Sacto CA 95605.
This business is conducted by a General Partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/17/13.
/s/Michael Nelson
/s/Russell W. Nelson
/s/Brandon Myers
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 23, 2013
/s/Kristina Hunt, Deputy Clerk
Jan 23 30 Feb 6 13

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 10, 2013
File No. 2013-30
The following person is doing business as Hendricks Real Estate Group, 1539 Maryland Ave., W. Sac. CA 95691, Yolo County.
Cari Hendricks, same address.
This business is conducted by an Individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/13.
/s/Cari Hendricks
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 10, 2013
/s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
Jan 30 Feb 6 13 20

Send your local, nonprofit calendar event news to:

'Local Scene', News-Ledger, P.O. Box 463, West Sacramento CA 95691.

Or email it to: steve@news-ledger.com (please put 'Local Scene' in the subject line). Please include your contact information. Deadline is prior Friday.

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 17, 2013
File No. 2013-065
The following person is doing business Three Fox Business Solutions, 1808 Virginia Ave., West Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.
Sunnie Thornton, same address.
This business is conducted by an I ndividual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/13.
/s/Sunnie Thornton
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 17, 2013
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk
Feb 6 13 20 27

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 1, 2013
File No. 2013-108
The following person is doing business as Specialty Business Services, 2983 Benton Pl., West Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.
Mark T. Sticklin and Rickie Jefferson, 2983 Benton Pl., W. Sac. CA 95691.
This business is conducted by a married Couple (two registrants).
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/13.
/s/Mark T. Sticklin
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Feb. 1, 2013
/s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
Feb 6 13 20 27

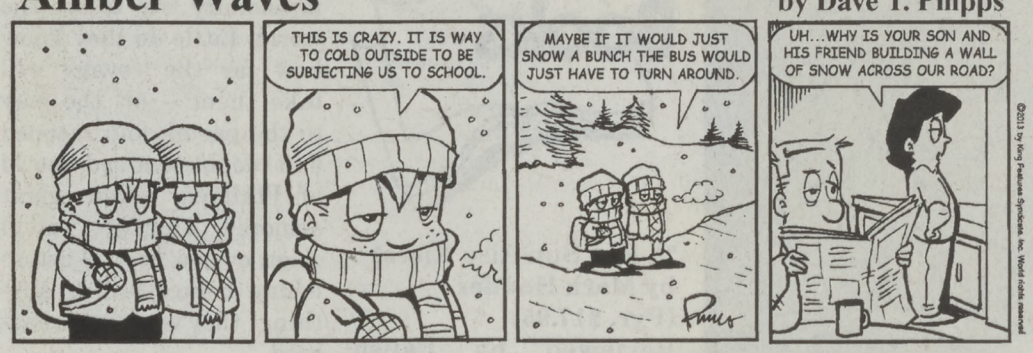
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COURT OF YOLO JUVENILE DIVISION
In the Matter(s) of BRITTNEY BOWMAN-HALL,
NO: JV-12-00090
CITATION
Dependent(s)
To: All persons claiming to be the father
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Juvenile Court, located at 1100 East Main St., Woodland CA 95695, on April 9, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in Department 14. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Penelope Bowman on February 21, 2012. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.
DATED: 1/28/13
/s/Kathleen M. White
Judge of the Juvenile Court
Feb 6 13 20 27

INVITATION TO BID
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Public Works, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 1st floor, West Sacramento, California 95691, until 2:00 P.M. on March 1, 2013, at which time and place they will be publicly opened for the construction of:
BRIDGEWAY ISLAND COMMUNITY FACILITY DISTRICT LANDSCAPE REHABILITATION
An optional pre-bid site walkthrough is scheduled on the following date:
➢ **2:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. on February 20, 2013. Meeting location will be at Venice Street and Arcata Bay Road in West Sacramento, CA.**
The site walkthrough is offered as an opportunity to view site conditions and meet City Construction Administration staff assigned to the project.
Description of Work:
Miscellaneous demolition of existing plant material, decomposed granite, and header boards. Finish grading and soil preparation. Existing irrigation system modification and new irrigation tie in. Planting ground cover and shrubs. Installing bark mulch. Perform 60 day maintenance period. Special care expected along through block trail required as this is a route to school for elementary age children. Trail to remain open to public at all times.
Engineer's estimate $166,589.00.
Completion of Work:
All construction work shall be completed within Ninety (90) calendar days from the date designated on the **Notice to Proceed**.
Obtaining Contract Documents:
Electronic copies or hardcopies of the Specifications, Bid Documents and subsequent addenda may only be obtained from Dynamic Imaging Reprographic Service at the address noted below. Electronic copies of the specifications may be viewed on the website: www.disacramento.com. Bidders may then order the Plans and Specifications. All reprographic costs for the Specifications, tax and shipping shall be paid by the bidder and shall be non-refundable.
Dynamic Imaging
620 Commerce Drive # A
Roseville, CA 95678
(916) 782-8070 / (916) 452-4411
Account Representative: Chris Katz
E-Mail Address: printing@disacramento.com
Website: www.disacramento.com
To all Bidders, this is the link to view plans. www.disacramento.com
Select "Plansmart" on the top of the page. If you have an existing account, go to step 4. If you are here for the first time, begin at step 1.
1. If this is the first time, select "click here to register"
2. Fill in the appropriate information. Once complete, return to your email account
3. Follow the prompt at your email to confirm the account, this is for security. This activates the account
4. Go to/Return to the Plansmart log in page and enter your email and password
5. Next, Click "log-in"
6. If the project is "public" it will be listed below, proceed to step 10
7. If the bid is private, at "projects for bid", click on "add a private bid project"
8. Next box, "bid number" = ____, then "password" = _____
9. The job will pop up down below in your "new private bids"
10. Once you click on the desired project below, a "project detail" screen appears
11. In the left corner, "revision history", select the set you want to view. (There could be several lines, the bottom is most current)
The plans will be in view at this point. In the upper left corner is a black "disk" icon. Select it and a drop down of all pages appears. The right mouse button gives some additional options, zoom in etc. Make some notes for specific plans needed and close this window to place your order. To place your order click "order" and fill in the rest of the form.
Please call 916-782-8070 or 916-452-4411 in the Roseville office should there be any questions.
Bid package may be examined at the office of the Director of Public Works, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, 1st Floor, West Sacramento, California.
The bid and general requirements of the **BRIDGEWAY ISLAND COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT LANDSCAPE REHABILITATION** will be administered in accordance with the Project Specifications. The Technical Requirements of the contract will be administered in accordance with the City of West Sacramento Standard Specifications of 2002 and the General Conditions contained in the contract documents, and other standard specifications referenced in the Contract Special Provisions.
Bid Guarantee:
1. Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento. The Proposal Guarantee must be enclosed in the same envelope with the Bid.
2. A Bidder's Bond will be accepted only if it is made out on either the Bidder's Bond form enclosed in these documents or on a form which conforms to it.
3. The Attorney-in-Fact (resident agent) who executes the Bidder's Bond on behalf of the surety company must attach a copy of his Power of Attorney as evidence of his authority. A notary shall acknowledge the power as of the date of execution of the surety bond which it covers.
4. Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance.
Construction License:
The successful bidder must possess a current **"A" General Engineering Contractor** license or a **"C27" Landscaping Contractor** issued by the State of California.
Award:
The award shall be made to the lowest responsible bidder for the base bid, whose proposal complies with the specified requirements and according to the "selection policy and criteria" outlined below. The award of Contract will be made by the Director of Public Works, and the Contractor shall execute the Contract within ten (10) days after he has received the Contract from the City.
No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the opening of bids.
Relief of Bidder:
Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred.
Wage Rates:
1. Bidders are hereby notified that the California Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of wages for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute the work.
2. It shall be mandatory for the Contractor and any subcontractor under him to pay not less than the said specified rates to laborers and workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract.
3. Copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages may be obtained from the Department of Industrial Relations, P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA 94142-0603, Attn: Chief, Division of Labor Statistics and Research or at www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/statistics_research.html.
Bonds:
The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price, and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the Contract price.
Addendum(s) Issuance Verification:
Reproduction Services will notify all contractors either by fax, email or US mail, of the issuance of addendum(s), if any. However, it is the Contractor's sole responsibility to verify that he received all addendums, if any, and to include all issued addendums in his bid. Submittal of the bid without inclusion of all addendums will be considered non-responsive and the bid will be rejected.
Rejection of Bids:
1. Bids may be rejected if they show any alterations of form, incomplete bid, erasures, additions not called for, or irregularities of any kind.
2. The City of West Sacramento reserves the right to waive any minor irregularity or clerical error and award the contract, provided the minor irregularity or clerical error does not materially affect the bidder's bid.
3. The City of West Sacramento reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Conditions of Bid:
1. The City will not be liable for any cost incurred in the preparation of the bid.
2. The submission of a bid shall be prima facie evidence that the bidder has full knowledge of the scope, nature, quantity, and quality of work to be performed.
3. The City may, at its sole discretion, not proceed with this bid process, or accept or reject any and all responses submitted to this bid. All submittals shall be the property of the City of West Sacramento.
Ambiguities and Vagueness:
1. All questions and requests for interpretations must be in writing and shall be addressed to clarify any ambiguity you might encounter while preparing your bid:
Christopher A. Surawski, Landscape Construction Inspector
City of West Sacramento Public Works Department
Email: chrissu@cityofwestsacramento.org
C/P (916) 617-4717
Fax (916) 371-0845
2. No oral interpretations of the meaning of the drawings, specifications, or other bid documents will be binding on the city.
3. The submission of a bid shall be prima facie evidence that the bidder has full knowledge and understanding of the scope, nature, quantity, and quality of work to be performed.
4. Claims for ambiguity or vagueness will not be considered after the bid opening.
5. Requests for interpretations of bid documents must be received by the City not later than **9:00 A.M. (PST) February 25, 2013**.
Feb 6 & 13

PUZZLES & COMICS

Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps


THIS IS CRAZY. IT IS WAY TO COLD OUTSIDE TO BE SUBJECTING US TO SCHOOL.
MAYBE IF IT WOULD JUST SNOW A BUNCH THE BUS WOULD JUST HAVE TO TURN AROUND.
UH...WHY IS YOUR SON AND HIS FRIEND BUILDING A WALL OF SNOW ACROSS OUR ROAD?
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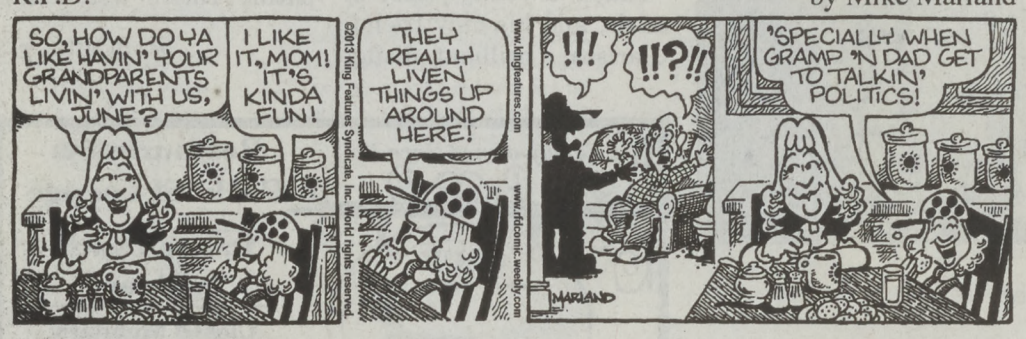
R.F.D.

by Mike Marland


SO, HOW DO YA LIKE HAVIN' YOUR GRANDPARENTS LIVIN' WITH US, JUNE?
I LIKE IT, MOM! IT'S KINDA FUN!
THEY REALLY LIVEN THINGS UP AROUND HERE!
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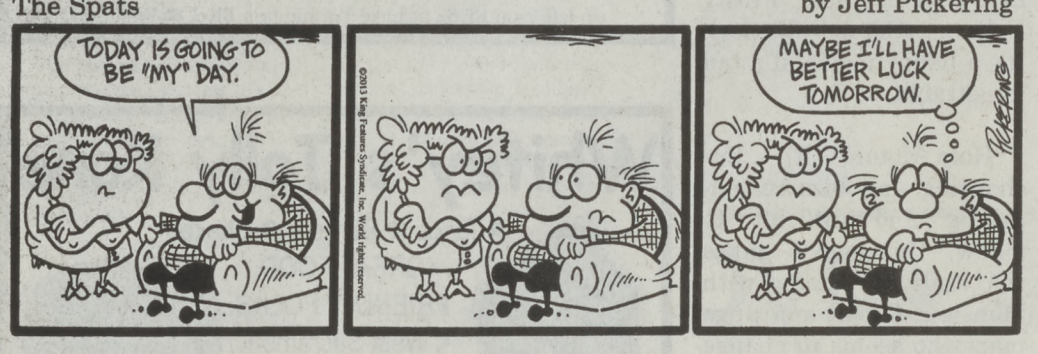
'SPECIALLY WHEN GRAMP 'N DAD GET TO TALKIN' POLITICS!
MARLAND

The Spats

by Jeff Pickering


TODAY IS GOING TO BE "MY" DAY.
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MAYBE I'LL HAVE BETTER LUCK TOMORROW.
PICKERING

Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas

GURGLE, GURGLE...
ACK!
LEFT HAND BLUE... WHOOPS! RIGHT FOOT GREEN... OH, SORRY! LEFT HAND RED... MY BAD!
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ZOMBIE TWISTER
KOPERVAS

POPEYE

Hy EISMAN
I LOVE WALKING IN THE SNOW, DON'T YOU?
YEAH! I LIKES IT!
EXPESHULLY WIT' YOU, SWEETIE!
WALKIN' IN THIS WEATHER MAKES YER CHEEKS GLOW...
...LIKE MORNIN' DEW ON A SPINACH CROP!
AN' YER SKIN IS LIKE A SOFT-BOILED EGG SITTIN' ON SPINACH!
YER EYES SPARKLE LIKE WHEN YA DRIBBLE DRESSIN' ON SPINACH
AN' YER NOSE IS AS PERKY AS BABY SPINACH!
IN ODDER WORDS... ...YER LIKE A SPINACH SALAD!
OH, POPEYE! YOU'RE SO POETICAL!
ITSA GIFT!
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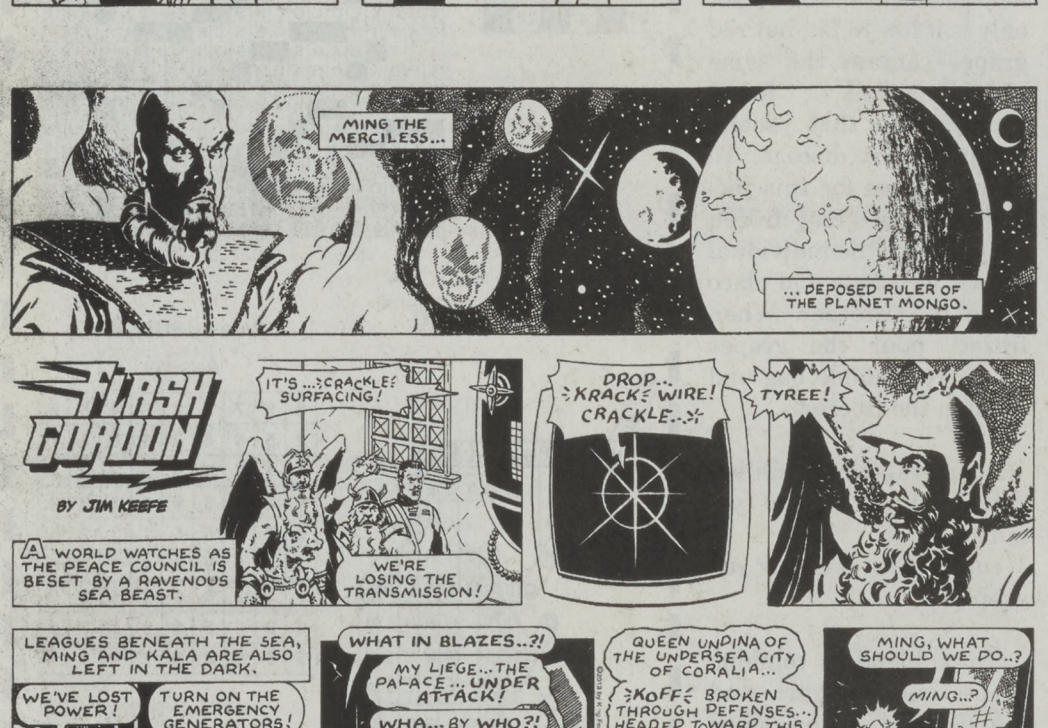
FLASH GORDON

BY JIM KEEFE


MING THE MERCILESS...
...DEPOSED RULER OF THE PLANET MONGO.
A WORLD WATCHES AS THE PEACE COUNCIL IS BESET BY A RAVENOUS SEA BEAST.
IT'S ...:CRACKLE: SURFACING!
WE'RE LOSING THE TRANSMISSION!
DROP... :KRACK: WIRE! CRACKLE...:
TYREE!
LEAGUES BENEATH THE SEA, MING AND KALA ARE ALSO LEFT IN THE DARK.
WE'VE LOST POWER!
TURN ON THE EMERGENCY GENERATORS!
I MUST SEE IF FLASH SURVI...
THOOM!
WHAT IN BLAZES..?!
MY LIEGE...THE PALACE...UNDER ATTACK!
WHA... BY WHO?!
QUEEN UNDINA OF THE UNDERSEA CITY OF CORALIA...
:KOFF: BROKEN THROUGH DEFENSES... HEADED TOWARD THIS VERY CHAMBER!
MING, WHAT SHOULD WE DO..?
MING..?
TO BE CONT'D..!
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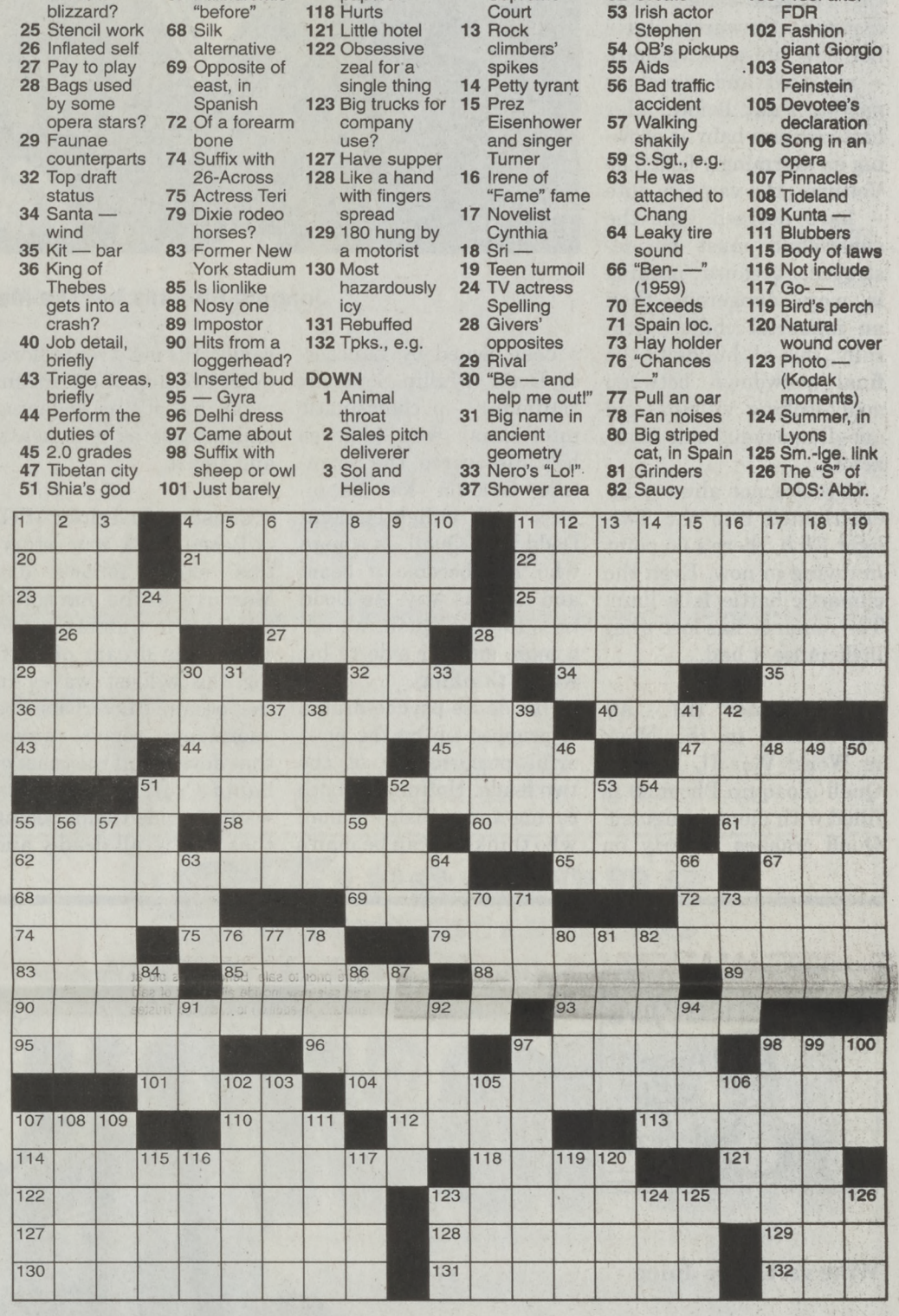
Super Crossword

X-CHANGING

ACROSS
1 Original texts: Abbr.
4 Navy VIP
11 Soda giant
20 Kwik-E-Mart clerk
21 In a very angry way
22 "East of Eden" director
23 Jagger and Fleetwood out in a blizzard?
25 Stencil work
26 Inflated self
27 Pay to play
28 Bags used by some opera stars?
29 Faunae counterparts
32 Top draft status
34 Santa — wind
35 Kit — bar
36 King of Thebes gets into a crash?
40 Job detail, briefly
43 Triage areas, briefly
44 Perform the duties of
45 2.0 grades
47 Tibetan city
51 Shia's god
52 Golf course on another planet?
55 Concerning
58 Massey of film
60 Knight's mount
61 "Take — from me ..."
62 Fumigated hair?
65 Pageant adornment
67 Palindromic "before"
68 Silk alternative
69 Opposite of east, in Spanish
72 Of a forearm bone
74 Suffix with 26-Across
75 Actress Teri
79 Dixie rodeo horses?
83 Former New York stadium
85 Is lionlike
88 Nosy one
89 Impostor
90 Hits from a loggerhead?
93 Inserted bud
95 — Gyra
96 Delhi dress
97 Came about
98 Suffix with sheep or owl
101 Just barely
104 Nails for company use?
107 Solicit
110 Rocker Ocasek of the Cars
112 Cellar, in real-estate ads
113 Ump's shout
114 Spanish boy grades test papers?
118 Hurts
121 Little hotel
122 Obsessive zeal for a single thing
123 Big trucks for company use?
127 Have supper
128 Like a hand with fingers spread
129 180 hung by a motorist
130 Most hazardously icy
131 Rebuffed
132 Tpks., e.g.

DOWN
1 Animal throat
2 Sales pitch deliverer
3 Sol and Helios
4 With 5-Down, hang on a clothesline
5 See 4-Down
6 Papa's other half
7 "To put — a nutshell ..."
8 Pastors
9 Ethylene or propylene
10 Fleur-de- —
11 Soccer icon
12 Kagan of the Supreme Court
13 Rock climbers' spikes
14 Petty tyrant
15 Prez Eisenhower and singer Turner
16 Irene of "Fame" fame
17 Novelist Cynthia
18 Sri —
19 Teen turmoil
24 TV actress Spelling
28 Givers' opposites
29 Rival
30 "Be — and help me out!"
31 Big name in ancient geometry
33 Nero's "Lo!"
37 Shower area
38 Western cry
39 Split-off group
41 Pipe shape
42 Potted "pet"
46 Drags to court
48 Rabbit ears
49 Downhiller's accessory
50 Attack with evil reports
51 Golfer Isao —
52 Create
53 Irish actor Stephen
54 QB's pickups
55 Aids
56 Bad traffic accident
57 Walking shakily
59 S.Sgt., e.g.
63 He was attached to Chang
64 Leaky tire sound
66 "Ben- —" (1959)
70 Exceeds
71 Spain loc.
73 Hay holder
76 "Chances —"
77 Pull an oar
78 Fan noises
80 Big striped cat, in Spain
81 Grinders
82 Saucy
84 Razor name
86 Broccoli —
87 Surgeon's duds
91 Filming area
92 Lip smack
94 Fancy party
97 Fighting a common viral illness
98 "Agreed"
99 Kept from scoring any points
100 Pres. after FDR
102 Fashion giant Giorgio
103 Senator Feinstein
105 Devotee's declaration
106 Song in an opera
107 Pinnacles
108 Tideland
109 Kunta —
111 Blubbers
115 Body of laws
116 Not include
117 Go- —
119 Bird's perch
120 Natural wound cover
123 Photo — (Kodak moments)
124 Summer, in Lyons
125 Sm.-lge. link
126 The "S" of DOS: Abbr.



Answers on Page 8

GO FIGURE!

by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

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DIFFICULTY: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult ★★★ GO FIGURE!

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

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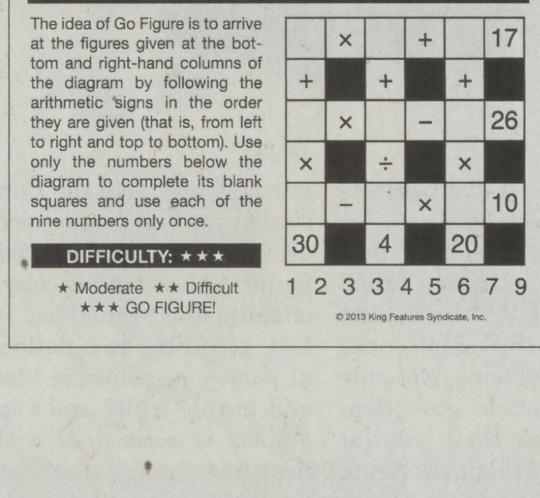
BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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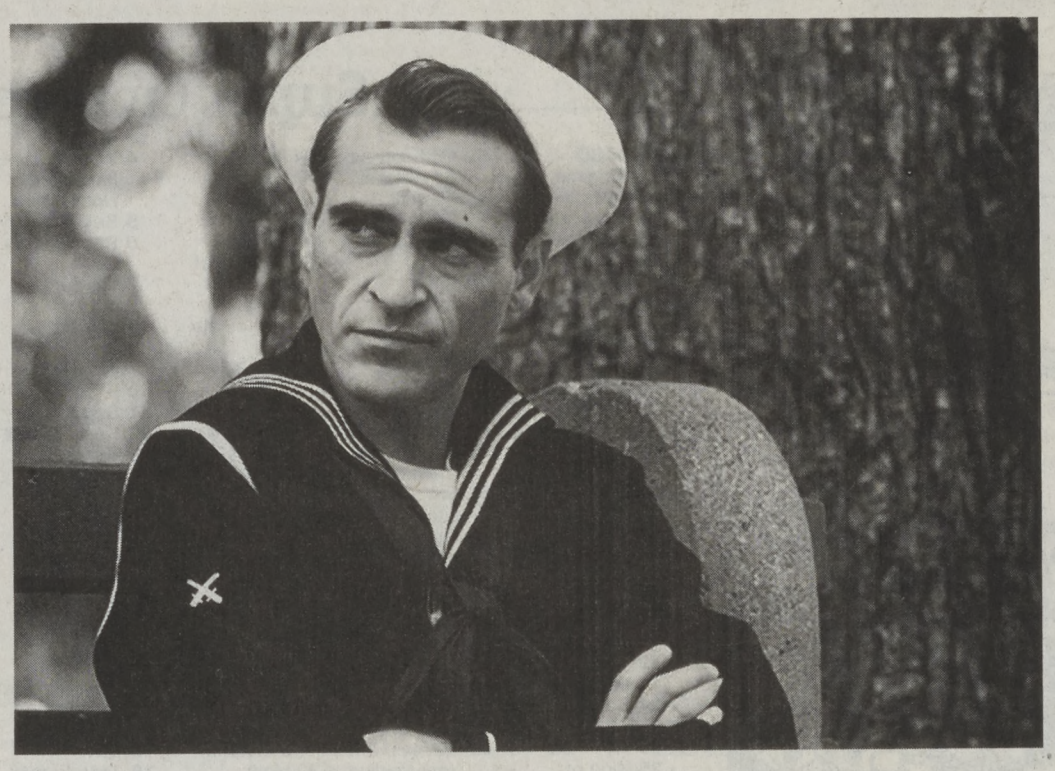
DINING, TRAVEL & ENTERTAINMENT

COUCH THEATER DVD PREVIEWS

BY SAM STRUCKHOFF



Joaquin Phoenix in "The Master"

PICKS OF THE WEEK

"The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 2" (PG-13) -- The saga comes to a whimpering end with this final installment of the Twilight series. Bella (Kristen Stewart) starts her new life as a vampire -- red-eyed and somehow pastier than before. Her half-vampire baby is growing up alarmingly fast. The Volturi -- the vampire elite -- have decreed that the super-child must be destroyed, because nothing is more dangerous than an immortal child. Naturally, this all builds to the final showdown between goofy-looking villains and one-dimensional side characters.

If you're not already indoctrinated into the Twilight Club, there's no point in diving in now. Even the climactic battle falls limp. The romance has lost what little pulse it had.

"The Master" (R) -- After serving in the Navy in World War II, Freddie Quell (Joaquin Phoenix) is filled with mental anguish. Quell crashes a party on a boat owned by Lancaster Dodd (Phillip Seymour Hoffman) -- a charismatic intellectual who believes he's discovered the scientific formula for happiness and enlightenment. Dodd sees Quell as a man who has become a beast and lost his way. As Dodd tries to save Quell, we see a more sinister side to his way of thinking.

This dense psycho-drama is propped up by the powerful performance of the two leads. Hoffman is both caring and selfish -- a man who thinks he can be man's savior. It's not a rental for a quiet evening of entertainment, but it's as engaging and intense as it is heavy and smart.

"Chasing Mavericks" (PG) -- Based on a true story, this movie follows Jay Moriarty as he navigates teenhood in California and chases his dream of surfing the wildest waves in the ocean. Mavericks are enormous rogue waves that develop off the coast of Santa Cruz, and Moriarty wants to ride them. Seeing that they're all deadly and powerful forces of nature, the teen wisely enlists the help of veteran surfer and next-door neighbor, Frosty Hesson (Gerard Butler). It's a happy movie, if a tad forgettable.

"Holy Motors" (R) -- Enchanting and bizarre, engaging and difficult to follow, this movie takes the audience along with Monsieur Oscar, a strange man who seems to change faces and roles at a whim. He's an accordion player,

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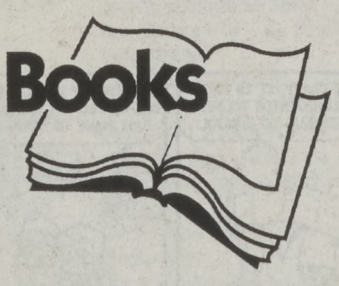
Books



"A Red Sun Also Rises" by Mark Hodder (Pyr, $17.95) Reviewed by Ealish Waddell

Aiden, a young priest in crisis, and his only friend, Clarissa, a brilliant, disfigured scholar, set off on a missionary trip to see the world. Little do they know how far the voyage will take them -- all the way to the pastel, four-mooned and double-sunned world of Ptallaya, where giant armored, sluglike Yatsill reign over a host of astonishing beings unlike anything they've ever imagined.

And then things get REALLY weird. The telepathic Yatsill use details

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Wine vs. Grape Juice

Research has long supported the recommendation of one glass (5 ounces) of red wine for heart health, but many non-alcohol drinkers want to know if grape juice offers the same health benefits? The answer is yes, if it's 100 percent purple grape juice. "You get similar benefits, but red wine would provide those health benefits at a bit higher level," shares Susan Mills-Gray, Nutrition & Health Education Specialist with the University of Missouri Extension.

When grapes are fermented, the process creates/liberates tannins, which are the beneficial compounds found in red wine. Tannins act as antioxidants in suppressing production of the peptide responsible for hardening arteries.

Grapes and red wine also share the health benefits from resveratrol, an antioxidant found in the skin of red and purple grapes. Resveratrol promotes healthier blood vessels, which leads to better blood flow and overall improved heart health. Resveratrol has been found to block immature fat cells from developing and functioning, which can prevent/reduce body fat. Resveratrol is also found in blueberries, cranberries, peanuts and peanut butter.

Most grape juice is made from the Concord grape. The Concord grape is far from ordinary. This little purple fruit (and its cousin the white Niagara grape) packs quite a nutrition punch to help fuel healthy, vibrant lifestyles.

Concord grapes have natural plant nutrients called polyphenols, including many of the same ones found in red wine. Not only do polyphenols give Concord grapes their vibrant color, these plant nutrients also act as antioxidants and deliver benefits to help promote overall health.

What's more, research suggests that Concord grapes make one heart-healthy juice. Most 100 percent grape juice is made with whole Concord grapes -- skin, seeds and all -- and contains no added sugar, color or flavor.

Getting enough fruits and vegetables each day is important for overall health. In particular, most people fall short on getting enough vibrantly colored, blue and purple fruits and vegetables, which only account for about 3 percent of total fruit and vegetable intake. That's not great news, because a diet rich in a wide variety of colorful fruits and vegetables ensures the broadest range of vitamins, minerals and beneficial plant nutrients.

Dark-skinned blue and purple fruits, like the Concord grape and grape juice, provide plant nutrients not found in many other colors of fruits and vegetables. In fact, according to a national survey, consuming blue and purple fruits and vegetables is associated with healthier eating patterns in children and adults, and overall better health in adults.

Drinking the right amount of 100 percent juice made with Concord grapes can be a smart way to add purple fruit to the diet and to liven up your day. But it's important to remember that many purple grape juices aren't made with Concord grapes, which means they may not have the same amount of plant nutrients, and therefore have less natural polyphenol power. Check the label to make sure that the grape juice that you're buying is 100 percent grapes.

"The typical rule of thumb is that if you don't drink alcohol, you shouldn't start, so 100 percent purple grape juice is certainly a good option," adds Mills-Gray.

Juice also contains slightly less calories than wine -- juice has 4 calories per gram, wine has 7 calories per gram. So, enjoy the benefits of the juice of the vine without the alcohol and drink 100 percent grape juice!

GRAPE JUICE SMOOTHIE

Here's an especially heart-healthy drink. Not only is it low in fat, but red grapes contain the same phytochemicals found in red wine that protect against heart disease. To freeze grapes for this recipe or for a great frozen snack, place the individual grapes on a tray and place them in a freezer. When frozen, pour the grapes into a re-sealable bag and store in the freezer.

1/2 cup grape juice, chilled
1/4 cup plain low-fat yogurt
1 cup frozen, seedless red grapes

In a blender, combine grape juice, yogurt and grapes and blend until mixture is smooth and frothy. Pour into 1 tall glass.

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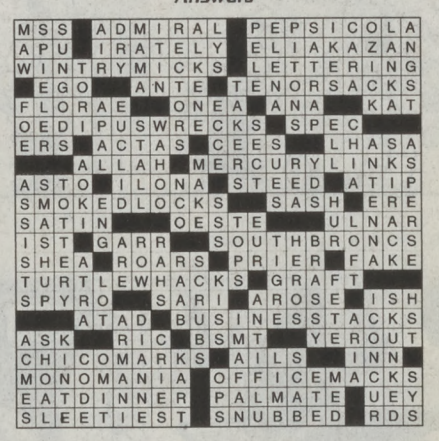

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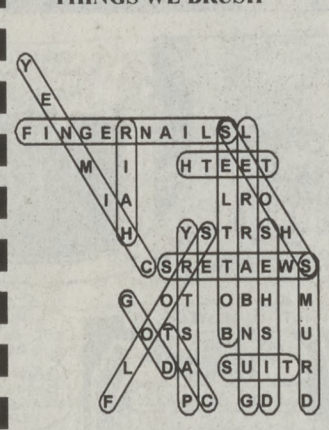

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 31, 2013
File No. 2013-107

The following person is doing business Delhi Bazar, 2905 West Capitol Ave, West Sacramento CA , Yolo County.

Jazinder Singh Chaudhary, 2964 Frigatebird Dr, Sacramento CA 95834.

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/s/Jazinder Singh Chaudhary

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The following person is doing business as Bandhu Trucking, 1548 Union Square Rd, West Sacto CA 95691, Yolo County.

Rajesh P. Bandhu, same address.

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/s/Rajesh Bandhu

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File No. 2013-103

The following person is doing business The Mustard Seed, 222 D St, #11, Davis CA 95616, Yolo County.

YOUNGJAI KWON and YOUNG RIN KWON, 1538 Jade St.., Apt C 140, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Married Couple (two registrants).

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/YOUNGJAI KWON
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 29, 2013
File No. 2013-98

The following person is doing business as Hop Yard Maps, 1404 Vigo Ct., Davis CA 95618, Yolo County.

Robert Family LLC, same address.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

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/s/David J. Robert, Exec. Member
Robert Family LLC

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 5, 2013
File No. 2013-118

The following person is doing business Renewable Energy Institute International, 3300 Industrial Blvd, Suite 500, W. Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.

Renewable Energy Institute Int'l, same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 8, 2013
File No. 2013-135

The following person is doing business as Valley Slurry Seal Company; VSS Emultech, 3785 Channel Dr., West Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.

VSS International, same address.

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF VERA BURRIGHT, DECEDENT
Case Number P213-027

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of VERA BURRIGHT.

A Petition for Probate has been filed by JULIE A. SMITH & JAMES L. BURRIGHT in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo.

The Petition for Probate requests that JULIE A. SMITH & JAMES L. BURRIGHT be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A hearing on the petition will be held in this court as follows: March 13, 2013, at 8:30 a.m., in Dept. 15, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 1100 Main Street, Third Floor, Woodland, CA 95695.

If you object to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

If you are a creditor or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9200. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

You may examine the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner: Karen Ehler
Law Office of Karen Ehler
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POLICE

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tires slashed. The suspect then sent her a phone text about the slashing.

Feb. 9, 7:13 p.m.

A 46-year old man called 911 "complaining about Mexicans and speaking profanely to the calltaker." He was warned not to call again, but did. When they called back, the line picked up, then disconnected. Police went to his motel room and arrested him, believing the calls were "likely to continue."

Feb. 9, 3:48 p.m.

A woman reported that a 55-year old Wes Sacramento man was urinating on her fence on Clarendon Street. When an officer contacted the man, he was found to have two hypodermic needles in his pants pocket. The officer reported being accidentally stuck by one of them.

The man said he used the needles for insulin, but also admitted using them to shoot "meth." He was arrested.

Feb. 10, 1:52 a.m.

Four teens around age 18-19 were seen "trying to open door handles on parked cars" on Marston Street.

Feb. 10, 3:01 a.m.

A car was reported to have been burglarized within the past half hour on Water Street. Gone were a radio and speakers.

Feb. 10, 6:29 a.m.

A Park Boulevard woman reported receiving a call from an acquaintance "who said he was drunk and wanted to go to her house. She told him to stay away because she is not home, but she thinks he may go to (her) residence anyway."

Feb. 10, 6:29 a.m.

A rape was reported at a West Capitol motel.

Feb. 10, 11:47 a.m.

A caller reported being bitten by a medium-sized brown dog while running on the levee. The dog was now loose in the front yard of its residence on the 4300-block of South River Road. The caller didn't need medical aid.

Feb. 10, 12:58 p.m.

A 4th Street resident reported a female neighbor "is leaving rude notes" on the caller's door.

Feb. 10, 4:38 p.m.

A citizen reported finding money at a Southport parking lot.

Feb. 10, 3:30 a.m.

An officer contacted a 22-year old man near Sunset and Sacramento avenues, "an area of vehicle burglaries." The men consented to a search of his backpack, and the officer found a bag of marijuana. The man had no medical marijuana card. He agreed to allow the officer to book and destroy the drug. He was advised and released.

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courses (you must make it to each class) between April 2 and April 25. Applicant interviews will take place from Feb. 25 to March 22. For information, call (530) 756-7542 and ask for Ting Ting, or email spyc@sbcglobal.net.

Pancakes

The West Sacramento Elks Lodge will host a pancake breakfast from 9-11 a.m. on Sunday, March 10, at 423 Third Street. $6/adults, $3/children. Doors open for bingo at 2 p.m. and bingo starts for 3 p.m., with a $4 all-you-can-eat buffet and $1 dessert. Karaoke starts at 5 p.m.

DVDs

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er, a bum, an overbearing family man, a futuristic erotic motion-capture actor, a leprechaun and so much more. He assumes these different identities in a flash by changing in a limousine that carts him around Paris. Don't expect it to make much sense on first viewing.

TV RELEASES
"Law & Order: The Twelfth Year"
"The Client List: The Complete First Season"
"Rocko's Modern Life: The Complete Series"
"Mighty Morphin Power Rangers: Season 2. Vol. 1"
"Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles: Rise of the Turtles"
"Garrow's Law: The Complete Collection"

BOOKS

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plucked from Clarissa's mind to create a bizarro version of Victorian London atop their capital city, rearranging the entire structure of their society to mimic the England of her birth. Clarissa is welcomed into the ruling class, while Aiden is sent to join the guards who spend their days preparing for trouble that never seems to come to this odd but peaceful town.

Until one day, it does. When the twin suns set, a giant red moon ascends, and Ptallaya transforms into a nightmare world of thorns and tentacles, and the humans find themselves under attack from friends and foes alike. Now they might finally be able to figure out what's really going on here -- assuming they survive until the next dawn.

Hodder's unique take on Victorian sci-fi/horror is at once reminiscent of the past and strikingly modern. It might feature distant planets and bug-eyed monsters, but the plot's fascinating twists and revelations defy cliche.

A layer of philosophical and scientific sophistication underlies the narrative throughout as the true nature of this beautifully intricate alien environment slowly unfolds. It is mirrored by equally complex psychological transformations going on inside the characters as they are forced to battle demons both real and imagined.

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Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by IRINA ZAITSEV, A SINGLE WOMAN, dated 10/19/2007 and recorded 10/25/2007, as Instrument No. 2007-0036437-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 03/11/2013 at 1:00PM, Ramada Inn and Suites, 1250 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, CA, 95691, Captain Ballroom at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1594 CEDARBROOK ROAD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, 956914905. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $561,024.94. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 09-0023712. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: - Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-FN4357640 02/13/2013, 02/20/2013, 02/27/2013

T.S. No. 12-2630-11 Loan No. 0012960597 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 8/10/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: WALERIA BRZEZNA, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN Duly Appointed Trustee: The Wolf Firm, A Law Corporation Recorded 08/15/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0040032-00 and Re-recorded on 10/7/05 as Instrument #2005-0050312-00 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale: 3/6/2013 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $414,538.94, estimated Street Address or other common designation of real property: 3548 SQUAW ROAD WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 A.P.N.: 072-121-021 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (714) 573-1965 or visit this Internet Web site www.prioritypostng.com, using the file number assigned to this case 12-2630-11. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 2/4/2013 The Wolf Firm, A Law Corporation 2955 Main Street, 2nd Floor Irvine, California 92614 Foreclosure Department (949) 720-9200 Sale Information Only: (714) 573-1965 www.prioritypostng.com, Frank Escalera, Team Lead P1019216 2/13, 2/20, 02/27/2013

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 11-0126795 Doc ID #0007464010320 05N Title Order No. 110522849 Investor/Insurer No. 30170942 APN No. 067-240-042 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 03/23/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by JUAN J. GONZALEZ, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, dated 03/23/2006 and recorded 3/31/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0012843-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 03/08/2013 at 12:00PM, At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1925 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE AND, 1924 MERKELEY AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $745,014.03. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 11-0126795. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-4358092 02/13/2013, 02/20/2013, 02/27/2013

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 12-0083393 Title Order No. 120362903 APN No. 046-610-028 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 08/30/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by CARYN D DAVIS AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, dated 08/30/2006 and recorded 09/01/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0034753-00, in Book , Page of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California, will sell on 03/11/2013 at 01:00 PM, Ramada Inn & Suites, 1250 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, CA, 95691, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1364 MILANO DR UNIT 7, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691-6037. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $313,661.12. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of Section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. 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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 11-0148488. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-4358650 02/13/2013, 02/20/2013, 02/27/2013

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 11-0132775 Doc ID #0002369044420 05N Title Order No. 110534721 Investor/Insurer No. 1044782337 APN No. 014-345-022 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/05/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by ANTONIO SANCHEZ, A MARRIED MAN AS HIS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY, dated 10/05/2006 and recorded 10/10/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0039921-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 02/22/2013 at 12:00PM, At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1028 CHARLES ST, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, 95605. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $319,820.44. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. 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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 1-800-281-8219 or visit this Internet Web site www.recontrustco.com, using the file number assigned to this case TS No. 11-0132775. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. 1800 Tapo Canyon Rd., CA6-914-01-94 SIMI VALLEY, CA 93063 Phone: (800) 281 8219, Sale Information (626) 927-4399 By: Trustee's Sale Officer RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. A-4353513 01/30/2013, 02/06/2013, 02/13/2013

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 11-0148488 Doc ID #0001141754092005N Title Order No. 110603805 Investor/Insurer No. 114175409 APN No. 056-271-004 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 10/20/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by TEODORO PARRA, AND MARICELA TOSTADO, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS, dated 10/20/2005 and recorded 10/27/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0053939-00, in Book , Page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 03/11/2013 at 1:00PM, Ramada Inn and Suites, 1250 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, CA, 95691, Captain Ballroom at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust, in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 9592 OAK GROVE AVE, KNIGHTS LANDING, CA, 95645. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $295,295.59. It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Said sale will be made, in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances thereunder, with interest as provided, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon as provided in said Note, plus fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. If required by the provisions of section 2923.5 of the California Civil Code, the declaration from the mortgagee, beneficiary or authorized agent is attached to the Notice of Trustee's Sale duly recorded with the appropriate County Recorder's Office. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on a property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 10, 2013
File No. 2013-00032

The following person is doing business as Building Drake's Brewing Co.; Artisan Brewers, LLC, 2001 2nd St., Davis CA 95618, Yolo County.

California Brewing Co., LLC, same address.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/07/2012.

/s/Trenton Yackzan, Mgr
California Brewing Co., LLC

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 10, 2013
/s/Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk
Jan 23 30 Feb 6 13

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 9, 2013
File No. 2013-025

The following person is doing business as Color Supply, 350 Pioneer Ave., Woodland CA 95776, Yolo County.

Industrial Finishes & Systems, Inc., 3455 W 1st Ave. Eugene OR 97402.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/1/2012.

/s/Daniel G. Meyers, VP of Finance
Industrial Finishes & Systems, Inc.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 9, 2013
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk
Jan 23 30 Feb 6 13

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 18, 2013
File No. 2013-00067

The following person is doing business as Golden State Registration Service, 1024 Soule St., West Sacramento CA 95691, Yolo County.

Tanya Bardosh, 3608 Squaw Rd., W. Sac. CA 95691.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/18/13.

/s/Tanya Bardosh

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 18, 2013
/s/Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk
Jan 23 30 Feb 6 13

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 11, 2013
File No. 2013-039

The following person is doing business as Volleys Tennis Shop, 130 G St., Ste. C, Davis CA 95616, Yolo County.

Brooksiden, LLC, 1378 7th Ave., Sacramento CA 95818.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/28/12.

/s/Scot Siden, Member/Mgr
Brooksiden LLC

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Jan 11, 2013
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk
Jan 23 30 Feb 6 13

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
PT13-015

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Jan Thomas Troost filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Jan Thomas Troost

Proposed name: Johannes Troost

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

NOTICE OF HEARING: Feb. 19, 2013, at 8:30 a.m., in Dept. 15, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 1100 Main St., Suite 300, Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: News-Ledger.

Date: 15 Jan 2013
DANIEL P. MAGUIRE
Judge of the Superior Court
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TSG No.: 5375645 TS No.: CA1100228682 FHA/VA/PMI No.: APN: 045-320-023 Property Address: 419 SAFFLOWER PLACE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 09/27/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 02/26/2013 at 12:45 P.M., First American Trustee Servicing Solutions, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 10/05/2005, as Instrument No. 2005-0049841-00, in book , page , , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of YOLO County, State of California. Executed by: KRISTINA D. DARR GLYNN, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, CASHIER'S CHECK/CASH EQUIVALENT or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (Payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the North entrance to the City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED IN THE ABOVE MENTIONED DEED OF TRUST APN# 045-320-023 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 419 SAFFLOWER PLACE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $262,240.91. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust has deposited all documents evidencing the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust and has declared all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable, and has caused a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be executed. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. 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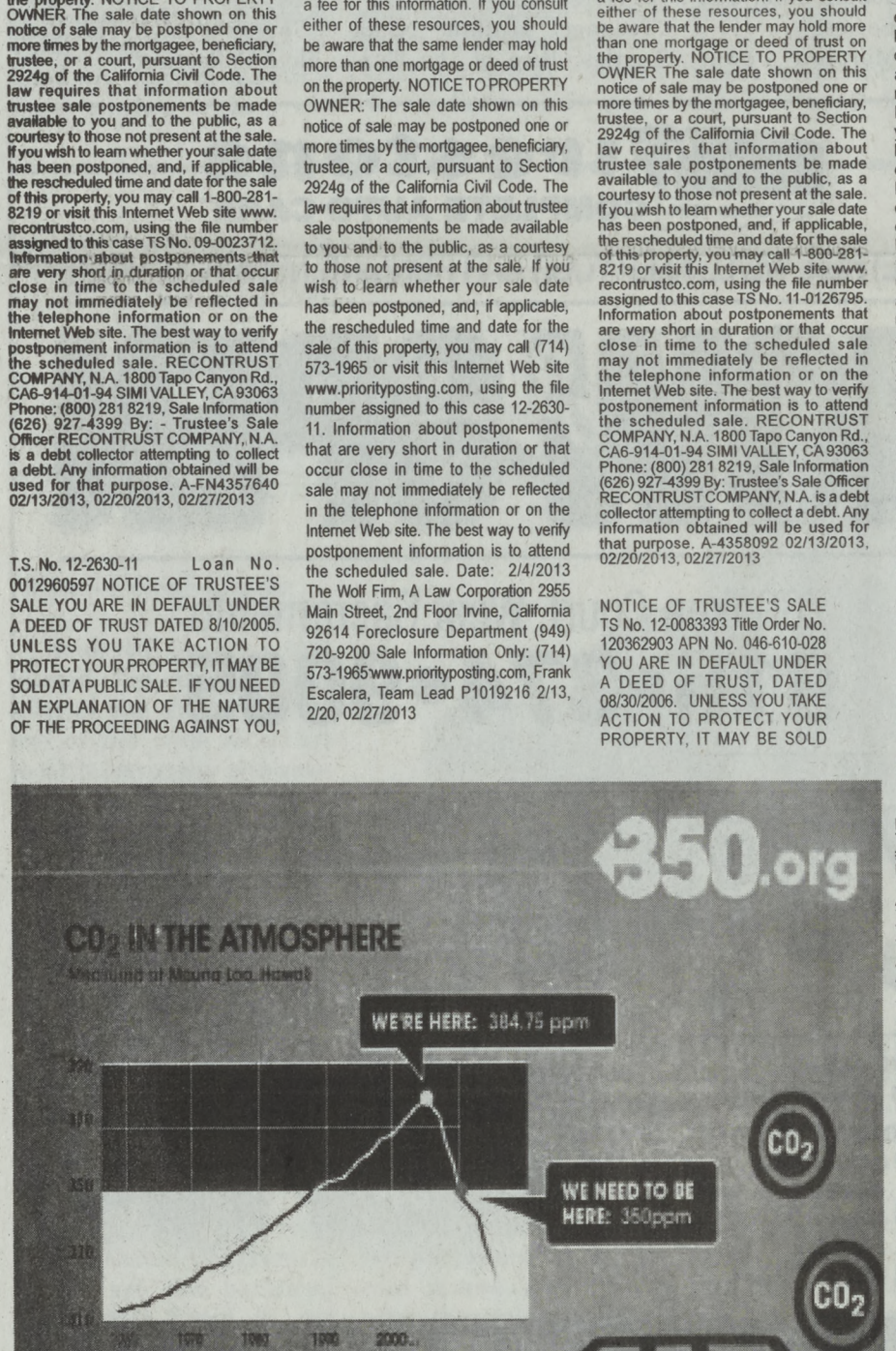
If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (916)939-0772 or visit this Internet Web http://search.nationwideposting.com/propertySearchTerms.aspx, using the file number assigned to this case CA1100228682 Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse. First American Title Insurance Company First American Trustee Servicing Solutions, LLC 3 FIRST AMERICAN WAY SANTA ANA, CA 92707 Date: FOR TRUSTEE'S SALE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL (916)939-0772 First American Trustee Servicing Solutions, LLC MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NPP0213368 NEWS LEDGER 02/06/2013, 02/13/2013, 02/20/2013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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S No. **1357579-39** APN: **049-314-001** TRA: **063078** LOAN NO: **Xxxxxx0106** REF: **Winter, Lydia A.** IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, Dated: **October 17, 2003**. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On **March 05, 2013,** at **9:00am, Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation**, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded **October 29, 2003**, as Inst. No. **2003-0066763-00,** in book **XX,** page **XX,** of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of **Yolo** County, State of California, executed by **Lydia A. Winter and Mike H. Winter, wife and husband as joint tenants,** will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union, or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association, or Savings Bank specified in section 5102 of the financial code and authorized to do business in this state: **At the rear (North) entrance to the City Hall Building, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: **Completely described in said Deed of Trust.** The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **26710 Capay Street, Esparto, CA 95627.** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the Trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to pay the remaining principal sums of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: **$118,243.09.** If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. 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If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (619)590-1221 or visit the internet website www.rppsales.com, using the file number assigned to this case 1357579-39. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web Site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. For sales information: (619)590-1221. Cal-Western Reconveyance Corporation, 525 East Main Street, P.O. Box 22004, El Cajon, CA 92022-9004** Dated: **February 01, 2013**. (02/13/2013, 02/20, 02/27) R-425631

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. 2013-066

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Capital Valley Investments, 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200, Calabasas, CA 91302.
West Coast Redevelopers, LLC, 23622 Calabasas Road, Suite 200, Calabasas, CA 91302.
This business is conducted by: *Limited Liability Company.*
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/01/2008.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
West Coast Redevelopers, LLC
S/ Cristina Agra-Hughes, Senior Vice President
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on January 17, 2013.
NOTICE-In accordance with Section 17920(a), a Fictitious Name Statement generally expires five years from the date it was filed with the County Clerk, except as provided in Section 17920(b), where it expires 40 days after any change in the facts set forth in the statement pursuant to section 17913 other than a change in the residence address of a registered owner. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before the expiration.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
Renewal
1/30, 2/6, 2/13, 2/20/13
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NEWS-LEDGER

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. FBN2013-087

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
Trower Engineering Consulting, 2657 Tyler Way, West Sacramento, CA 95691.
Kristofer Trower, 2657 Tyler Way, West Sacramento, CA 95691
This business is conducted by Individual
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Kristofer Trower
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo on January 24, 2013
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NEWS-LEDGER

Local Scene

Sing, in public

Take your vocals out of the shower. Anyone 18 & up is invited to join the West Sacramento Community Singers, in their third year of entertaining at local events. Especially needed are altos, baritones & tenors, but all are welcome. Rehearsals begin March 3. Go to http://www.meetup.com/West-Sacramento-Community-Singers/ or call 916-376-0756.

Father/daughter dance

The City of West Sacramento is offering its annual father/daughter dance this week. The theme is "Denim and Diamonds," and participants are invited to attend from 6:30-9:30 p.m. on either Friday, Feb. 15, or Saturday, Feb. 16. The event will be held at the West Sacramento City Hall Galleria, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. Dinner buffet & DJ. $40 per father and $20 for each daughter (daughters 3 & under, free). Pre-registration required. Visit the West Sacramento Community Center, 1075 West Capitol Avenue, to register.

Soccer tryouts

Tryouts for West Sac Soccer, a competitive program, are scheduled for Saturdays Feb. 23 and March 9. Tryouts will be held at River City High School. Tryout times: male and female athletes born August 8/1/2002 to 7/31/2003 meet from 9-10:30 a.m.; 8/1/99 – 7/31/2001, 10:30-noon; 8/1/97-7/31/99, 1-2:30 p.m.; and before 8/1/97, 2:30-4 p.m. For information, email WestSacCompSoccer@gmail.com. $125 fee for season (no additional fees for coaches, trainers or fields).

Cheap reads

The West Sacramento Friends of the Library invite you to their spring book sale, scheduled for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sat., March 16, and 10-3 on Sun., March 17. Hardbacks will go for $1, paperbacks 50 cents, children's books 10-25 cents, and some items will be specially priced.

On Sunday, books are only $1 per bag. For information or to volunteer, call 475-6465 or email wsfol99@yahoo.com.

E-waste

Support the River City High School honor society while getting rid of your old TVs, monitors, laptops, cell phones, ink jet cartridges (all free to drop off).

Or drop off your old CUPs, telephones, printers, copiers, DVD players, fax machines, VCRs, stereos, video games and small appliances for a $5 recycling fee. Microwaves: $15-30 to recycle. Batteries: $3/pound.

Bring documents to shred for $8 per banker box. Proceeds will raise funds for Advanced Placement tests for RCHS students. The event will be held Sat., Feb. 16, from 9-4 at the school.

Free food

The Yolo County food bank will distribute free food to eligible West Sacramento and Clarksburg residents on Feb. 19. The schedule includes distribution from 9-10 a.m. at the West Sacramento County building, 500 Jefferson Blvd.; 10:30-11:15 a.m. at Trinity Presbyterian, 1500 Park Blvd.; 11-noon at Yolo Housing Authority, 685 Lighthouse Dr.; and noon-1 at Clarksburg Firehouse.

Please bring a bag, and attend only one site. For information, call (530) 668-0690.

Fun run

The Blue Diamonds Almonds Shamrock'n Half Marathon on March 17 is filled up. But there are spaces available at the Biggest Loser RunWalk 5k on Sat., March 16, with a finish line on Raley Field in West Sacramento. This 5K course includes the capitol, Tower Bridge and Old Sac, with live bands along the course. The 5K starts at 8 a.m.; ½ mile kids' run (12 and under) is at 9:45 a.m. Go to www.biggestloserrunwalk.com/sacramento.

Summer art school

The California State Summer School for the Arts invites Yolo County high school students to apply for its "rigorous, pre-professional training program" in the visual and performing arts, creative writing, animation and film. 500 students will be selected statewide for this program, which runs July 13 to Aug 9 at the California Institute of the Arts in Valencia. Financial aid available. Apply by Feb. 28. Go to www.csssa.org. (This info comes from YoloArts.)

Multi-cultural

A forum to increase understanding of the Muslim and Sikh cultures is planned for 7-8:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 28, at Woodland Community College, 2300 E Gibson Rd. in Woodland, Room 800. Free; park in the student parking lot. Sponsored by the Yolo County Multi-Cultural Council and the college. For information, contact Dr. Jesse Ortiz at jortiz@yccd.edu, or Chief Deputy District Attorney Jonathan Raven, jonathan.raven@yolocounty.org.

Needs of aging

The Area 4 Agency on Aging (which includes Yolo County) invites seniors to comment on funding priorities (including nutrition, transportation, caregiver support and other areas). To participate, go to 2260 Park Towne Circle, Suite 100, in Sacramento from 10-11:30 a.m. on Feb. 21. Call 486-1876.

See a nurse

Nursing interns from Sacramento State University will offer blood pressure checks, review medications and provide information, from 10 a.m. to noon on March 5 at the community center (1075 West Capitol Ave.) Free. For an appointment, call 617-4620.

Zumba

Instructor Joe offers Zumba fitness classes Tuesdays from 5-6 p.m. at Alyce Norman Elementary School, and 4:30-5:30 at Westfield Elementary. Recommended donation $2. Sponsored by Kaiser Permanente, Yolo County Children's Alliance and the city and school district. For information, call 572-0560.

Preschoolers

Preschoolers and their parents are invited to "fun and educational activities" in one-hour sessions Mondays at 10 a.m. at 685 Lighthouse drive and Fridays at 10 a.m. at 1200 Anna St., room 19. Free. For info, call 572-0560 (Yolo Co. Childrens Alliance).

Help for families

Free food distribution occurs every Friday at 10:30 a.m. the Alyce Norman Center, 1200 Anna Street. You can also attend to learn about health insurance, WIC, school meal assistance and CalFresh. Call 572-0560.

Practice English

Three weekly English conversation classes are ongoing at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue. Free. Drop in at any or all sessions; speakers of all levels are encouraged; "improve your skills in a fun and relaxed setting." The group meets Mondays and Tuesdays 1-2 p.m. and Fridays 10-11 a.m. For information, call 375-6465 or email cole.johnson@yolocounty.org.

Free paint

Extra paint dropped off by the public as part of Yolo County's Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off Program is available free of charge on Fridays in February at the county landfill. Customers may take up to 25 gallons of paint per household.

In the drop-off program, you may take hazardous waste items such as paints, pesticides, batteries, lighter fluid, solvents, mercury thermostats and old medicines to the landfill from 7:30-3:30 a.m. on Fridays and Saturdays. The landfill is located at 44090 C.R. 28H between Woodland and Davis. Visit www.yolocounty.org or call (530) 666-8856.

Conservancy

The West Sacramento Conservancy meets Sunday, Feb. 17, from 2-3:30 p.m. at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue. All are welcome. Field trip will be discussed.

Ballot drop-off

West Sacramento has a special all-mail election to fill one vacant seat on the school board of the Washington Unified School District. The election date is Tuesday, March 5. As an alternative to mailing your ballot, you may drop it off on the main floor of city hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, during business hours up to election day. For more information, call the elections department, 1-800-649-9943.

African-American history

Professor Keith Heningburg of Sacramento City College will be the guest at an African-American History Month film screening an discussion, 6 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 25, at the library, 1212 Merkley Avenue. Call 375-6465 for more info.

People & baboons

The book discussion at the Yolo County Library is centering on "A Primate's Memoir," in which Stanford neurobiologist weaves his observations on a Kenyan baboon troop with his observations on society and politics in Africa. Grad students from UC Davis will facilitate the discussion. At West Sacramento's library branch, 1212 Merkley Avenue, the discussion is planned for 7-8 p.m. on March 6. It's part of the 2012-13 "Open Access Science" community book read. Email Jay Johnstone at jay.johnstone@yolocounty.org or call (530) 757-5595 for information.

Women's history

The guest speaker for the annual Yolo County Women's History Month luncheon will be Linda P.B. Katehi, chancellor of UC Davis. The lunch is scheduled for 11:30-1 on Thursday, March 7, at the Woodland Community & Senior Center, 2001 East Street in Woodland. Katehi has been recognized for promoting women's participation in science, technology, engineering and mathematics, and she holds faculty appointments in electrical and computer engineering as well as gender studies. For more information on the luncheon or on joining the women's history committee, contact Louisa Vessell at 451-2113 or lvessell@sbcglobal.net or visit www.ycwhm.org.

Tax help

The "AARP Tax Aide" program provides nationwide tax-preparation assistance for low- and moderate-income people. You can get help from volunteers staffing this year's program at River Bend Manor in West Sacramento. Program runs Saturdays from noon-4 beginning Feb. 2 at 664 Cummins Way.. For information or an appointment, call (530) 341-2391. For info, email NoCalTaxAide@Outlook.com, or visit www.aarp.org/taxaide.

Voting

West Sacramento voters will choose a new school board member at a special election on March 5. Last day to register to vote in time for the Washington Unified School District race is Feb. 19. You must be 18, a County of Yolo resident at least 15 days before the resident, a U.S. citizen, and you must complete a registration affidavit. For information, contact the Yolo County Elections Department, 625 Court St., Room B05, Woodland, CA 95695, or call (530) 666-8133 or 1-800-649-9943.

Book club

The Evening Book Club continues at West Sacramento's library branch, 1212 Merkley Avenue.

The club meets at 6 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month and is free to join.

In February, the club will discuss a non-fiction choice, "Walking the Flatlands," by Mike Madison. In March, the choice is "The Well and the Mine," by Gin Phillips. At each meeting, the last book is collected and the new choice is passed out. For information, contact Cindy at 731-5504 or 372-1682.

PG&E news

PG&E's regional representative has started a Twitter account for her Sacramento and Sierra region. You can sign up to follow her Twitter reports (information on any current power outages as well as event news and safety and energy efficiency tips) "@PGE_Brandi."

Birthday party

Join the parks department in celebration of the second anniversary of the West Sacramento Community Center at 1075 West Capitol Avenue. There will be a free party from 2-4 p.m. on Sat., March 2. Included will be a children's fun area, with games, face painting and balloon animals. There will also be a social media photo booth, a visit from "Mooie Armstrong," cupcakes and a raffle. The party is free. For information, call 617-4620.

Kindergarten

West Sacramento's local elementary schools will accept registration for kindergarten and transitional kindergarten students on Sat., Feb. 23, from 9 a.m. to noon. Bring your child's birth certificate, social security card, immunization records, proof of physical (dated after Aug., 2012, for kindergarten students) and a copy of your PG&E bill for address verification, to your local campus. For kindergarten, child's fifth birthday must be on or before Oct. 1, 2013.

Questions? Contact Bridgeway Island Elementary at 375-7778; Elkhorn at 375-7670; Riverbank at 375-7700; Stonegate at 375-0960; Southport at 375-7890; Westfield at 375-7720; or Westmore Oaks at 375-7730.

Fireworks fundraiser

If your church or nonprofit is interested in getting a permit to sell fireworks during this year's Independence Day (July 4) season, go to the information session scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 6 p.m. in the city council chambers, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. The permit lottery will accept applications March 1-31. For more information, contact City Clerk Kryss Rankin at 617-4500.

Free tax help

The Yolo County Children's Alliance is sponsoring several tax-assistance events to help low- and moderate-income people prepare their taxes and to help them claim their earned income tax credit. Visit the Turner library (1212 Merkley Avenue) for tax assistance on Feb. 2 from 9-1 (appointment required, call 572-0560. This event may continue on other events – call to verify.).

Or drop in at the Earned Income Tax Awareness Event at the W.S. Family Resource Center, Bryte Elementary School, 637 Todhunter Ave. #21B, through April 15, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (no appointment required). For more information, call 1-866-607-4030.

Ribs & chicken

The West Sacramento Elks Lodge will offer barbequed ribs & chicken from 6-8 p.m. on March 2 at 423 Third Street. $12 in advance or $17 at the door. Call 372-3057.

Suicide prevention

Volunteer to answer the phone and help people. Suicide Prevention of Yolo County is planning an upcoming round of training

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